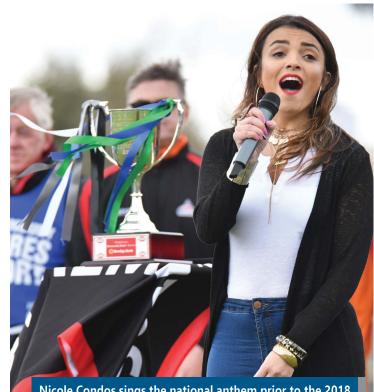




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Nicole Condos sings the national anthem prior to the 2018 Strathmore Community Bank Division 2 Grand Final.

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Chairman's Report

HEN looking back on Season 2018 and what it delivered, it could easily be summed up by more people, more teams and more clubs playing EDFL football than ever before.

Men's Football

Across all three senior divisions we experienced our most even competition in the history of the EDFL. This evenness could be attributed to the impact of the points system and salary cap or it could be that more clubs are working smarter to make their club an attractive destination in the congested sporting market. There may be some that argue that the points and cap restrictions are actually lowering the standard of the competition, however maybe the restrictions are spreading the top end talent across more EDFL clubs. The EDFL Finals Series delivered on two fronts - attendances and on-field theatre. Windy Hill continues to play an important role in both and we must continue to maximize the venue to the benefit of the EDFL.

Women's Football

The growth in female football continues with 20 per cent of the EDFL made up of female participants. The EDFL provided its own stand-alone EDFL Women's competition after co-existing with the WRFL. The challenge moving forward is managing the growth.

Growth

With the overall growth of the EDFL, facilities have become a major focus. New growth areas are providing venues and facilities that cater for both male and female participants and increased traffic on grounds. However, in our established areas that continue to grow in participants, there are no new grounds and facilities have to be continually re-developed. We are receiving valuable support from our council partners Moonee Valley, Moreland, Hume, Melton and Brimbank. It must be remembered that the EDFL clubs are the biggest organisation in these council areas and are providing enjoyment for over 2000 players each weekend. When you factor in umpires, parents and volunteers, you can understand why facilities are so important. This year we established an EDFL working party to analyse the league on-field and off-field. This working party is chaired by Jeff Gieschen and consists of the EDFL CEO, Football Operations, the Umpire Department, EDFL Media and on-field club representatives Adam Potter, Mick McGuane, Geoff Madden and Chris Tankard. With the game of Australian Rules changing rapidly, this working party is entrusted to ensure that the EDFL is best-placed to meet future challenges.

The Future

In 2019 we will welcome the Sunbury Kangaroos to the EDFL. Allan Walters and his team at Sunbury Kangaroos should be commended in the thorough process they undertook to ensure the best possible future for their club.

Looking to the future and the challenges that lay ahead, there are many. When it comes to growth management, we must learn from the errors of the past. We must secure Windy Hill, to ensure the EDFL's future and presence in the community. We need to create more revenue and third-party options must be developed. We must invest in EDFL staffing to provide the clubs with the best possible resources. Also, the time has arrived to define EDFL boundaries.

Board Level

The EDFL's standing today would not have been achievable without a strong board. Board Members Romy Gutbier, Wayne Anthony, Bernie Shinners, Tanya Taylor and Rob Castellas are all passionate EDFL people who have a great understanding of community sport. Whilst we all have an EDFL club connection, rarely do we all agree on all matters and I believe it is that trait that challenges the Board to ensure the best for the EDFL In saying that, the EDFL Board will undergo significant change in 2019. I as Chairman will be stepping down after 19 years as a Board Member and six years as Chairman. We also have a vacancy that has carried over for two years and Wayne Anthony will also be stepping down, which creates three vacancies. The positive is we have seven new applicants applying to become Board Members, so for the first time in many years, a vote will be required as we have more nominations than positions. This is a great position to be in and proves again the standing of the EDFL. I would like to thank Wayne Anthony for his contribution to the EDFL as a Board Member over the past seven years. Wayne has been instrumental in many areas that sees the EDFL where it is today, including improved club finances, growth in individuals, teams and clubs and the relocation to Windy Hill. Wayne has a very simplistic view in that the EDFL rules should always be enforced. I have known Wayne for over 40 years and have appreciated his ongoing support and advice whilst we have served together on the EDFL Board.

Club Achievements

Whilst there are many facets to the EDFL, we can never lose sight of the fact that we are a football competition and it is all about the clubs. You, the clubs, are working harder and smarter to establish yourselves in the crowded community sport market. If we simply measured success by premierships, then we would only have three winners each year. However, success is more than just premierships.

I'd like to celebrate and acknowledge the achievements of an emerging Burnside Heights, East Sunbury rebounding from replacing a coach mid-season, Keilor Park fielding teams in all junior age groups, Tullama-



rine fielding teams in all junior age groups, Hume Bombers and Ascot Vale establishing new clubs, Essendon Doutta Stars' great escape, Roxburgh Park's inaugural success, the fact that all clubs are financial and the evenness of all three men's divisions.

Looking Back

With 2018 being my last serving the EDFL, I look back with many fond memories. I truly believe in the EDFL and that it is in better shape than ever and it will continue to evolve. That is not to say there will not be challenges, however we are more than capable of exceeding those challenges. I have met many wonderful people along the way, people that are as proud and as passionate as I am. To all the club presidents over the past 19 years, I commend and admire the time and effort you have contributed. Your role in representing your club and the greater football community can never be underestimated and you should all be proud of your contributions.

Nineteen years has passed extremely quickly. It only seems like yesterday that I sat with Ian Price, Arthur Crofts, David McWilliam, Barry McNaughton, Ross Wall and John Brogan in 2000 to commence my Board career. To Ian Price, Reg Rose, David McWilliam, Arthur Crofts, Wayne Anthony, Glenn Clements, Peter Brown and John Elliott, thank you for your support, advice and friendship. It is that strength of stability and passion that has the EDFL in the position it is today and we must never lose that autonomy over the EDFL.

To my family, Kerrie, Kelly and Jess, thank you. If it was not for your support, the past 19 years would not have been possible. Thank you and good luck to all for the future.

Brett Scott Chairman

Chief Executive Report

EASON 2018 delivered another year of very strong growth, on the back of a fantastic 2017. On being appointed as Chief Executive Officer in February this year I said that I was honoured to be given this opportunity and my first season reinforced that belief. There were many on-field highlights across both junior and senior football, in female and male competitions. The EDFL has a broad array of important stakeholders with varying levels and areas of involvement. Over the course of this first year, I have thoroughly enjoyed meeting and learning from a vast number of passionate supporters of EDFL football. A challenge and opportunity for our league is to ensure we continually consult with these people for the benefit of our competitions.

League Growth

Team numbers surged to 421 teams competing in the EDFL. This is an increase of 44 teams from 2017, or roughly 1000 more participants playing football than we had last year. In 2017 there were 45 new teams which consolidates to 89 additional teams in two years. Such significant growth has created operational challenges at both club and league levels as we attempt to find volunteers, suitable grounds, available days and times, and appropriate change rooms and amenities. However, it is much preferable to be dealing with growth-related issues than declining participation and clubs which is occurring in some sports and geographies. This year saw the inaugural EDFL Women's senior competition, our first year as a standalone. We had 14 clubs form 13 teams (Avondale Heights and Taylors Lakes formed a joint team) and despite some teething problems which you get with a first season, it was a great success. Congratulations to the Pascoe Vale Football Club who went through the season undefeated and won the historic first premiership.

Total female football teams grew by 85.4 per cent and remarkably represented 18.1 per cent of total EDFL teams this year. Thank you to all the coaches, volunteers, supporters and administrators who have allowed a large number of females enjoy playing our great game. All indications are for strong growth again in the number of female teams for 2019.

Diversity & Inclusion

A major highlight from the year was the launch of a new EDFL football club, the Hume Bombers. Evolving from an Auskick clinic, the Hume Bombers played their first official EDFL matches this year with teams in the Under 9 and Under 13 competitions. This new club reflects the increasing diversity of the EDFL competition with a very strong representation from the local Indian community. It was fantastic to witness the excitement and enjoyment of players, volunteers and parents as many of these children played competition Australian Rules football for the first time. We look forward to continuing to work with the Hume Bombers and watching their club grow. A special thanks for the support of AFL Victoria and the Essendon Football Club with the Hume Bombers and in particular AFL Victoria Football Development Manager -North West, Mark Morgan, for his significant involvement with the club. It was encouraging to note that 26 different clubs provided junior EDFL competition bestand-fairest award winners, and 24 clubs won EDFL premierships in 2018. This reflects the quality of people involved with our clubs, and the benefits of running divisional-based competitions across senior and junior football.

EDFL Partners

The contribution of the Strathmore Community Bank to the EDFL cannot be overstated and certainly is not taken for granted. In 2018 the Strathmore Community Bank were the major partner of the EDFL, which includes being naming rights sponsor of the senior Premier Division and Division 2 competitions. They also sponsored 19 EDFL clubs who fielded 274 teams, which means that over 5000 players benefited from their contribution. The Strathmore Community Bank also sponsored the EDFL Umpires Association.

The amazing support of the Strathmore Community Bank also benefits the wider community. We enjoy the support and friendship of chairman Peter Brown and all the directors and bank staff.

We must also acknowledge the support from Essendon Ford as the naming rights sponsor of the senior men's Division 1 competition, AGA Apprenticeships Plus as the naming rights sponsor of the EDFL's Under 19.5 competitions and Big Childcare as the naming rights sponsor of the EDFL's junior boys' competitions.

Thanks to our suite of other sponsors which includes Ageless Herbals, Ascot Vale Leisure Centre, Ascot Vale Sports & Trophies, Brad Teal Real Estate, Coburg Physio, Club Warehouse, East Keilor Leisure Centre, Elastoplast, Essendon Football Club, Frudeli Café, Game Day Apparel, Glenroy Bakery, Grashan Sportswear, Hypoxi Moonee Ponds, Personal Graffiti, R4M Rawform, Red Onion Creative, SEDA, Sherrin, Sign XL, Sportsmoves, The Meadows, The Valley and Windy Hill Fitness Centre. We are extremely appreciative of your support.

Appreciation

For giving me this opportunity and for their support and guidance, I thank the EDFL Board of Management and the EDFL and AFL Victoria staff members: Shannon Colgan, Pauline Leslie, Greta May, Mark Morgan, Adem Saricaoglu, Rowan Sawers, and Ken Waters.

Special thanks to EDFL Chair Brett Scott and fellow Board Member Wayne Anthony, who have decided not to stand for re-election when they retire at the end of 2018. Both



have made massive contributions to the EDFL and I am sure will continue to be seen around the league. Personally, they gave me the opportunity as the Chief Executive Officer of the league, have been incredibly supportive and provided excellent counsel throughout my first year.

During the year we welcomed Shane Abdilla as AFL Victoria Football Development Manager - Melbourne Central, Taylah Morris as Football Operations Officer and Chantelle Raniolo as Senior Administration Assistant. All three have made great contributions through their work and as members of our team. I would like to acknowledge the support of AFL Victoria staff, in particular CEO, Steven Reaper, West/North West Projects Manager, Mick Daniher and Club Sustainability & Affiliates Manager, Darryl Collings. Other important stakeholders who have assisted the EDFL this year include the Brimbank, Hume, Melton, Moonee Valley, and Moreland Councils, the EDFL Umpires Association, our tribunal and appeals board members, the Essendon Football and Cricket Clubs and the two TAC Cup clubs in our region, Calder Cannons and Western Jets.

Financial

The EDFL continues to deliver strong financial results and has established a very solid financial position. I am pleased to report an operating surplus of \$130,410 for the 2017/18 financial year. This high profit result was driven by growth in income of 8.0 per cent to \$2.55 million, combined with controlling expense increases to 3.3 per cent, despite growth in teams and income. These financial reports will allow the EDFL to make targeted investments if needed.

Thanks all for your contributions to a fantastic 2018.

Craig Armstead

Chief Executive Officer

Football Operations Report

Season 2018 was full of highlights and milestones for the EDFL across all levels of competition.

Sunday Football - Junior & Youth In 2018, we welcomed the Hume Bombers to EDFL junior football ranks with the junior competition expanding to include 313 teams across 32 clubs. Over 2400 games were played within the 14-round home-and-away season and finals series. Twenty-seven clubs had teams feature in the finals series and 24 clubs played host to the matches. Windy Hill, Coburg City Oval, Sewell Reserve, Lionheart Reserve, Keilor Recreation Reserve, and Highgate Reserve hosted grand finals across two weeks of competition. Congratulations to all clubs for your efforts throughout the season. The 2018 AFL Victoria Junior Metropolitan Championships saw the EDFL Under 15 and Under 14 teams promoted to Division 1 and they displayed their talent against tough opposition. The development of the Under 15 Girls Interleague side was a shining example of the strength of the junior girls' competitions in Season 2018, going undefeated after three games in Division 2. What was most impressive was the team-play of a side featuring players from 11 different clubs. To Ron Sikora, Troy Newton, Luke Williams, Roy Fishenden, John Singarella and Lindon Way and your staff; thank you for your passion for junior development. We are grateful for your dedication to the program and contribution to the development of the young players who will become the future of the EDFL. Thank you to all team managers, runners, trainers, water carriers and parents for your support of the program. To Taylors Lakes, Avondale Heights, Burnside Heights, Tullamarine, Jacana and Pascoe Vale, thank you for your support in opening your facilities to us, for the programs to be conducted and positive match-day experiences created. Thank you to Essendon Football Club for the access to the grounds and auditorium at the True Value Solar Centre, allowing us the space to host all programs concurrently and your continued support of junior football. The jumper presentations were a highlight of the Interleague program, with all participants, coaching groups and families coming together to celebrate. Thank you to the Calder Cannons for hosting, assisting with logistics on the night and your overall contribution to the success of the program, and to the Western Jets, we are proud to provide a pathway, where players and coaches alike can continue to grow in confidence and skill.

Junior Girls & Senior Women

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Under 9, Under 11 and Under 13 junior girls' competitions were held for the first time, adding to the pre-existing Under 15 and Under 18 age groups with 63 teams from 24 different clubs participating in Season 2018. The EDFL conducted its inaugural standalone EDFL Women's senior competition and following on from the success of 2017, six new teams were introduced, creating a 13team competition. A top eight finals structure was implemented and many close games resulted, with each team celebrating at least one win for the season and was capped off with the grand final hosted at Windy Hill. We welcomed the Sunbury Kangaroos to EDFL football with Bailee Said leading the way and taking home the EDFL Women's Best & Fairest Medal by one vote. Congratulations to all clubs, players, volunteers and supporters. We look forward to having you back for Season 2019.

Saturday Football - Under 19.5 & Open Age

The Senior Thirds grand final was held on Friday, August 17 at Keilor. Division 1 finals kicked off on the last weekend of August with games played at Greenvale and Windy Hill. Week 2 saw games played across Keilor, Coburg City Oval and Windy Hill. All Premier Division finals were played at Windy Hill. The Division 1 grand finals were the first to be played with five teams playing off for the title of premier and Airport West gaining promotion into Premier Division in Season 2019. The following weekend saw Division 2 grand finals played on Saturday, with two first-time grand finalists vying off in the senior match and Premier Division grand finals on the Sunday with five teams playing off across three matches. Roxburgh Park won the right to be promoted to Division 1 on the Saturday, before Aberfeldie won back-to-back senior flags on Sunday. All volunteers, supporters, coaches and playing groups should be commended for their efforts throughout the season. Thank you to all clubs who hosted senior finals in 2019, we recognise how much time and commitment it takes for venues to operate and how many hands are needed on deck to make the days a success. To our gate management group led by Sue and Phil Aston and Fiona at Windy Hill who play an integral role in facilitating finals matches, thank you for your continued assistance.

Reflection

In April we welcomed Taylah Morris to the Football Operations team and she quickly established herself in the new environment. Thank you Taylah, the team was made stronger for having you in it and your contribution to the Interleague Program, fixturing, finals, EDFL Awards Night and all things in between. I must also extend thanks to Dave McWilliam for your efforts as tribunal secretary and finals match manager in Season 2018. Without your help, Monday mornings, Tuesday nights and finals weekends would not have run as smoothly. Thank you to Craig Armstead for his guidance, Adem Saricaoglu for his help with Club Hub as we seek to communicate with clubs effectively and Pauline Leslie, Greta May, Chantelle Raniolo for their active discussion and support throughout the season.



Thank you to the EDFL Umpiring duo Rowan Sawers and Ken Waters for your assistance in facilitating all junior and senior competitions throughout the season, as well as all field, goal and boundary umpires, coaches, advisors and support staff. Your efforts are very much appreciated.

I want to acknowledge all tribunal and appeals members, investigation officers, vilification officer and tribunal advocates. It takes a team effort to ensure the safety and enjoyment of all participants within the league and we understand it can be a thankless job. We appreciate the time you put in and effort taken to review each case.

The number of passionate club people, who dedicate time and effort to help run each and every club in our competition never ceases to amaze. We recognise all volunteers who took the time to support their club and put their hands up to take on match-day roles, as well as all club committees. Matches may be played Friday through to Sunday, but it is the time spent every other day to build their clubs, create positive culture and get all competitions from Under 9s to seniors on the field, they must also be credited for. With Season 2019 just around the corner, we welcome all new committee members aboard as well as those returning and look forward to working with all key stakeholders to conduct a competition, for all to be a part of and enjoy. We look forward to welcoming Keilor Park back into senior football ranks, the introduction of Sunbury Kangaroos to senior football and the expansion of the senior women's competition. Some key dates to mark down will be Good Friday, ANZAC Day, MND Round and NAIDOC Round and with a number of lighting projects currently underway, Friday night and Saturday twilight matches appear likely to become a regular part of the fixture.

Shannon Colgan

Football Operations Manager (Acting)

Media Report

OOKING back on 2018, I want to acknowledge the wonderful work being done in club-land. Personally, my biggest highlight for 2018 was not that we had Dane Swan participating in our competition, it was that the Westmeadows Football Club was so accommodating in helping us cover his high-profile return to the club. From a content perspective, Swan's return to the Tigers was the biggest story I've had to cover in my time involved with the league. The access both Westmeadows and Swan himself afforded us in the lead-up to and during his two-game stint was first-class. To Gareth Hanlon, Jeff Tenant and all at Westmeadows, congratulations on the way you delivered Dane's 'homecoming' and thank you for leaving no stone unturned in helping EDFL Media cover the occasion.

The 'Dane Swan experience' had a wonderful flow-on effect across the entire league, in that it not only generated incredible momentum in the early rounds of the season, but also encouraged EDFL Media to engage with all clubs on a whole new level. This year more than ever, the access our clubs provided us to their players and coaches was exemplary. Whether it was for *essendondfl.com.au*, *EDFL Match of the Day*, the *EDFL Tonight Podcast* or *EDFL Footy 2018*, every single club in the league opened its doors to us at some point during the season and for that, my team and I are very thankful. Long may it continue.

Web Content & Social Media

In mid-2017 we introduced a new-look essendondfl.com.au, meaning 2018 was our first full season utilising our new site. In-season (April to September), essendondfl. *com.au* generated more than seven million hits, non-inclusive of fixtures, results and ladders pages. That is a tremendous result for our league. Our traffic spiked each Friday and Saturday, with EDFL Teams and our Live Gameday Hub easily proving to be our most popular weekly items. Again, it is thanks to the hard work and ongoing support of clubs that we were able to generate that much web traffic in 2018. These spikes are clear evidence that both EDFL Teams and live scoring for senior men's football are incredibly important elements in growing the EDFL's audience and reach.

A concerted effort was made to increase our volume of written content in 2018. *EDFL Headlines* was a new innovation and proved to be a hit on both *essendondfl.com.au* and social media. *Star Weekly* journalist Tara Murray came on-board to write our weekly Division 1 preview article, while Liam McAllion returned to the fold as a match reporter. I'd also like to thank Julia Montesano, who not only continued in her role as the EDFL's feature writer, but also doubled up as the league's official EDFL Women's reporter. On Facebook, the EDFL broke through the 10,000-likes barrier in August and enjoyed an overall 11 per cent increase in followers from Season 2017. The major highlight of Season 2018 was our Facebook Live video stream of a Friday night game between Jacana and Westmeadows in April. Despite the Tigers scoring an easy win, the coverage generated more than 9000 views either live on the night or on replay in the days following. Growth was a little slower on Twitter and Instagram, but the EDFL does now boast a following of more than 4000 people on each platform. It is important we remain smart with our social media output and continue to look to innovate in the future.

EDFL Live App

The EDFL Live App on Team App continues to play a major role in both weekly and matchday coverage of the league. The app drives a significant portion of the EDFL's web traffic each weekend and there are now well over 3000 people connected to the league via the EDFL Live App. There have been some exciting developments in this space and we're very much looking forward to what the future may hold for the EDFL Live App in 2019 and beyond.

Radio Coverage

While much of the EDFL's overall media coverage has evolved greatly in recent years, *EDFL Match of the Day* has remained one of our key staple products. My fellow play-byplay callers Travis Poznachowski and Michael Pepicelli were both outstanding yet again, while the new additions of Kaine Hocking and Tim Solly each provided terrific insights in special comments alongside the returning Adam Russell. It was also refreshing to have a current senior player as part of our rotation, so we thank Keilor's Ben McManus for his efforts in special comments and on the boundary line when playing commitments permitted.

I am particularly proud about the fact that in 2018, all 26 senior men's teams were covered. It was the first time since I've joined the league that we were able to cover every club within a single season. We also covered three EDFL Women's games and the Under 17 Division 1 Grand Final between Strathmore and Aberfeldie, all of which were well-received. To all at 98.9 North West FM and in particular, panel operator John Dosen, thank you for your ongoing support of the EDFL. Our partnership grows stronger year on year.

Podcasting

The tough decision to remove *EDFL Tonight* from the North West FM airwaves ultimately proved beneficial, with the *EDFL Tonight Podcast* enjoying its best year yet. Season 3 of the show was the first in podcast-only format and featured 'the three Adams' (myself, Adam Papal and Adam Russell) as the primary hosts. Original co-host Adrian Jamieson served as a part-time guest panellist, as did Julia Montesano and Kaine Hocking. This year we looked to increase the video presence of



the show across the EDFL's entire network of media platforms and the end result was a 19.7 per cent increase in average audience per episode for the entire 28-show run.

Video Content

Back in December 2017, both Julia Montesano and I were proud to receive the 'Best Use of Online Media: TV Show' award for *EDFL 2017* at the AFL Victoria Community Media Awards. Off the back of that success, we continued with our online video show, this year branding it as *EDFL Footy 2018*. We produced 27 episodes of *EDFL Footy 2018*. We produced 27 episodes of *EDFL Footy 2018*, which included both games highlights and interview content, similar to that of the 2017 offering. Thank you again to Julia, who hosted the show with aplomb in 2018. The show generated more than 76,000 total views across Facebook and YouTube.

Photography

Jamie Morey's outstanding match-day and promotional photography is used prominently across all EDFL media platforms and products. We thank Jamie for the many hours of dedication he puts into his craft.

Other Acknowledgments

To everyone at Red Onion Creative, the support you provide in helping us produce our weekly record, *The Footballer*, is second-tonone. Thank you for another great year. To Andrew McLeish and his team at Sports-Cast Australia, we thank you for continuing to help us increase our footprint in match filming and streaming. This year, every Premier Division game was filmed for the first time in league history.

Finally, to the EDFL Board and my fellow EDFL colleagues, your support of EDFL Media was better than ever in 2018. I'm both blessed and proud to be working alongside all of you.

Adem Saricaoglu

Media Manager

Umpiring Report

BEFORE reflecting on the season, I want to sincerely thank Brett Scott for his unconditional support of umpiring. Brett's willingness to actively engage with our umpiring team throughout my time has seen a real bond form on many levels with our umpires. I personally want to thank him for the opportunity to be involved in the best community football league in the state. The EDFL umpiring team wish Brett all the best for the future.

Season 2018

I have been very fortunate to witness the EDFL umpiring group grow and develop into one of the leading community umpiring groups within the state. I am very proud of the efforts of every umpire and coach in the manner they represent the EDFL and umpiring.

It is my belief that our programs have provided the EDFL competition with a very competent group of umpires who have represented themselves in a very professional manner. This year many of our junior umpires made sensational progress beyond expectation and now find themselves in the depths of senior umpiring. Our senior coaches in Doug Drinkwater, Don Cooke and Steve Martin play a vital role in the development of these umpires at training and on a Saturday through observations and constructive feedback. A lot of the credit must go to Brett Pallini, our Head Junior Coach and his team for the way they train, nurture and take an active educational role with our juniors in preparing them for the transition into senior football.

EDFL Junior Field Umpiring

Our junior program is a significant operation each week and takes many people to commit their time and energy. The program offers many opportunities for not only umpiring but also personal development. Brett Pallini needs to be congratulated in the manner he leads his team.

Approximately 250 junior field umpires registered this season, with 90 first-years joining the program. Seventy-seven of those umpired at least one game of footy, which is a testament to our first-year coaches. We averaged 130 games of junior football each weekend and we were able to cover every game this season with an umpire. We saw the introduction of extra boys grades and more girls in the competition on Sundays, increasing our appointments to an average of 260 each weekend, totalling approximately 4,300 across the season, including finals.

Well done to Hayden Green, Grace Chatto, Heath Beveridge and Ben Keane who represented us in the AFL Auskick program – what a great experience umpiring on the MCG and Etihad Stadium.

Through our talent selection pathway, we saw many of our group embark on senior football umpiring careers, putting in place the skills learned through the junior program. There were over 12 umpires who moved from the junior program to seniors. Thanks to our dedicated junior coaching team and mentors for their commitment in supporting our umpires.

Academy Coaches

I'd like to extend my appreciation to Mark Volich (AIA College), James Downing (Moreland), Bridget Howard & Molly Jennings (St Bernards), Steve Marrari (Craigieburn), Troy McCarthy & Gavin Dovey (Jacana), Daniel Wardley (Sunbury) and Keith Ogston (Delahey) for their efforts in 2018.

Coaches at Windy Hill

We had a fantastic group of experienced coaches who selflessly gave up their time every weekend, including Kelvin French, James Downing, Jordyn Pearson, Michael Knight, Gavin Dovey, Don Cooke and Mark Volich. Also, a special thanks to Hayley Pallini for her long hours put in behind the scenes in the administration of our juniors.

Junior Awards

The EDFL Junior Program is vital for our long-term growth of umpiring in the EDFL. I need to acknowledge our EDFL clubs and the junior co-ordinators who have assisted in the recruitment and support of our junior umpires this year.

President's Award: Liam Dye, Coaches Awards: Leon Di Natale, Most Improved: Harrison Gibbs & Ryan Iskra, Best First Year Umpire: Zachary Freeman, Ian Coates Award: Lachlan Coyne.

Awards

Brett Pallini was awarded EDFL Umpire of the Year. He had an outstanding season on and off the field and exemplified the qualities and commitment required to win this prestigious award.

Lachlan Coyne capped off an outstanding year by being named the Best Junior Umpire and receiving the Ian Coates Award. He was also awarded the Golden Whistle as 'The Most Promising Umpire in the EDFL'. In November, Don Cooke was named AFL Victoria Community Coach of the Year and was presented with the 'Greg Sidebottom Memorial Umpire Coach of the Year' award. The program helped our junior umpires transition seamlessly into senior football and it will continue to benefit the EDFL greatly for years to come. It's a very well-deserved award for Don for the countless hours he's contributed to umpiring over many decades.

Special Acknowledgements

Senior presentation night saw a special award presented to Jim Ainsworth for 60 years' service to umpiring. Don Cooke and Dennis Maloney were also acknowledged for 50 years' service. This shows significant dedication and commitment.



Thanks

A special thanks the Cities of Hume, Moreland, Moonee Valley and Brimbank Councils, AFL, AFLVIC, Victorian Police, Jim Stynes Foundation, Ageless Herbals and most importantly, our EDFL clubs. Without the assistance of all these bodies, we would not be able to operate effectively.

Since 1991, Ken Waters has been a part of EDFL Umpiring and next year we will see him move into Football Operations, which is a great loss. Ken's knowledge and ability to get the job done effectively will be missed by umpiring but not lost to the EDFL. I want to thank him for always going the extra yard to ensure everything ran smoothly in the Umpiring Department.

To our field umpire coaches Don Cooke, Steve Martin, Doug Drinkwater, goal umpire coaches Tom Ennis, John Bladen and Leigh Keen and boundary coaches Stacey Cartwright-Smith and Anthony Laughton, thanks for the countless hours you all commit to umpires in the EDFL. This is a thankless task but your effort and dedication to developing our umpiring team does not go unnoticed. Thanks to Anton Mahony and David Peers of the EDFLUA for their tireless work which provides a positive social environment and support mechanism for our umpires. I wish to acknowledge and thank the hard working committed team at EDFL House. Craig Armstead's leadership and supportive approach has allowed umpiring to flourish. In Season 2019 there will be many challenges in recruiting and retaining umpires as in previous years. With the assistance of clubs and the manner in which they have supported umpiring on and off the field, I am hoping our retention rate will be higher than previous years.

Rowan Sawers

Umpiring & Development Manager

Female Football Report

HAT an exciting year it has been in female football for the EDFL with the inaugural and history-making EDFL Women's senior competition and the significant growth in junior girls participating, along with the increase in teams entering the league in 2018. The number of females participating in the EDFL has increased by more than 60 per cent which is outstanding and testament to the interest and desire of girls wanting to play football. In 2017, 1212 females were playing football, where 990 of these were junior girls and the remainder were senior women. The 2018 season saw growth across both sections, with a total of 1951 females playing football in the EDFL, where 1512 were junior girls and the remaining 439 senior women.

Junior Development & Pathways

The EDFL junior competition continued its amazing growth, increasing by more than 100 per cent. In the 2017 season there were 28 teams registered with the EDFL compared to 63 teams in the 2018 season. Most age groups this season had two divisions with the exception of Under 15 Girls, who had three divisions. It is a great time for female football. The junior girl's competition demonstrated an increase of the skill level throughout all age groups and divisions. The girls' passion for the game is extraordinary and all of our clubs should be proud of their efforts and commitment. The clubs' support and encouragement of these young girls was a major contributing factor and they were welcomed and made to feel part of the club. If this was not the attitude, we would not be seeing the

success and passion that we are. The girls now are aspiring to follow in the same footsteps as the boys have for many years, progressing from Auskick to under-age junior football, then representing the EDFL at Interleague level, which was a fantastic display of skill and teamwork and the girls won all three games convincingly, to the development programs (AFL Under 18 Girls Competition) and the VFLW. These platforms mean the dream of playing AFLW is within their grasp.

Senior Football

The inaugural season of EDFL Women's saw the establishment of seven new teams, which was a fantastic effort. They were required to play against established teams who played previously in the WRFL & EDFL combined competition in 2017. New teams such as Aberfeldie, Westmeadows and Strathmore played finals in their first year. That kind of effort and efficiency should be applauded. Although the weather wasn't kind to the junior girls and senior women on their grand final day, the skills were still at a very good level. The rain may have been pelting down and I am sure at times throughout the day there was snow, but the girls and women pushed on regardless. Games were of a high standard, they were good to watch, and they demonstrated the vast improvement in female football in the last 12 months.

Other Acknowledgments

The season couldn't have been as successful as it was without the tremendous support of the clubs and the EDFL supporting female



football. The EDFL media department gave female football significant coverage, and the umpiring staff and the EDFL football operations staff managed where possible to fixture the women's games so they could share the spotlight and also play night games occasionally.

Season 2019 looks even more interesting as the teams and clubs become more established, the skills continue to improve, and even more girls start to play football.

Pauline Leslie

Female Football Development Manager



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AFL Victoria Development Report

'HE 2018 season has again been a success, with innovation, development and progression thriving in the North West Region of Victoria. Whilst not without change, Gavin Mahony has moved into a new role with Leading Teams after his 18-month term with AFL Victoria. We thank Gavin for all his efforts in his tenure in the role and look forward to working alongside him in future coaching and management opportunities. Shane Abdilla replaced Gavin as the new Football Development Manager for the Melbourne Central Region in late January, 2018 and brought with him a wealth of experience from his time at the Calder Cannons. We look forward to Shane's contribution and enthusiasm moving into Season 2019.

Schools

This year has seen us again put a heavy focus on ensuring that our game has a very strong presence in as many local Schools as possible. Our relationship with Schools has continued to improve, and ultimately allowed us to run Programs throughout the Region involving interactions with over 20,000 students. The flagship of this suite of offers to Schools remains the Australian Sports Commission's 'Sporting Schools Program', but also includes Auskick Assembly Promotions, Footy Frenzy Days, AFL 9's, and One-off Clinics, AFL player appearances and Multicultural School Programs. In addition, this year we were able to change our Primary School Challenge, with age groups shifted to apply to Grade 3 and 4 children. Highlights of the carnivals included the representation of 12 schools across two regions and 200 participants across a mixed and female competition. With the state final now not in operation, the decision was made

not to score in these round robins, allowing kids of all abilities to participate in a fun football environment.

Multicultural Engagement

The North West Region of Melbourne had a huge breakthrough in the multicultural space in 2018, with the introduction of the Hume Bombers into the EDFL. The Bombers were able to field two junior teams in their inaugural year, learning a lot from their experiences and will no doubt make big inroads into 2019. Congratulations and well done to those involved!

The Essendon Football Club were brilliant in 2018, with their engagement and access to their NGA programs and assistance with our Multicultural School programs. The next step for us in the region will be to provide access and opportunity to coaches of multicultural backgrounds to get involved in our great game.

Club Development

Following on from the District Scheme Forums held in 2017, 2018 saw the introduction of the EDFL/WRFL Development Seminar held at Victoria University. The development seminar was a huge success with 15 sessions being held and 70 volunteers attending on the day.

Coaching

Coaches play the most critical role in the experience many of us have, and clubs that are proactive in establishing positive environments are having success in the recruitment and retention of players, setting themselves up for sustained success.

This year we had consistent numbers at our



Foundation courses and great participation with the Essendon Masterclasses, considering the implementation of online accreditation and re-accreditation. Coach.AFL is the new online database that ensures all accredited coaches have access to drills and modules to assist with their upskilling and development at any time. The new system also ensures that coaches can easily accredit and re-accredit without attending mandatory face-to-face sessions, allowing easier accessibility to get involved and numerous extra opportunities provided by us to learn more if time permits. On the back of the 'Better Coach' Project trialled in 2017, 2019 will see the start of the Calder Coaching Academy and yet another push for clubs to have coaching coordinators. Planning has been underway for some time regarding the Calder Coaching Academy, which aims to offer a product to coaches that aspire to take their passion to the next level. Opportunities will be limited, with sessions planned to include the Essendon Football Club across several of their coaching groups, Coburg VFL and the Calder Cannons. The Coaching Coordinator position has continued to have a lower than encouraged uptake by EDFL clubs, which we again depict the importance in coach development and player retention that comes as a benefit to this role being filled. In summary, the Coaching Coordinator position establishes the learning and development environment for both the coaches and players while providing a consistency in coaching throughout the whole club.

Auskick

This year saw a new-look Auskick program, with Auskick 2.0 being rolled out in Metropolitan Melbourne. The AFL completely revamped Auskick on the back of extensive research and a large amount of investment, changing the curriculum and the look of the program. The AFL also invested heavily in Auskick Champions, which took over from District Managers and were responsible for going around to their cluster of allocated centres and assisting them to teach the parents and the children the new games and activities. Whilst the change in the Auskick 2.0 program was big focus for 2018, we were still able to increase participants across the North West and successfully implement the new curriculum across our 35 centres.

Appreciation

Congratulations to everyone for the year and thank you for your support. We hope it was one filled with great memories and has left you with a strong appetite to remain involved in 2019. We hope you enjoy your summer and enjoy the well-earned break.

Shane Abdilla & Mark Morgan AFL Victoria Football Development Managers

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TAC Cup Representatives

2018 Calder Cannons Boys

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2018 Calder Cannons Girls

Representative	EDFL Club	Games	Goals
Alana Barba	Roxburgh Park	9	0
Sophie Cameron	Keilor	1	0
Laura Cocomello	Strathmore	4	0
Tenille Cook	Sunbury Lions	1	1
Haylea Cooke	Roxburgh Park	1	0
Eleanor Cornish	Keilor	9	0
Tamsin Crook	Moonee Valley	8	1
Kiara Delia	Greenvale	2	0
Ashton Driscoll	Maribyrnong Park	1	0
Gloria Elarmaly	Pascoe Vale	7	1
Terira Fry	Sunbury Lions	8	1
Zoe Hardiman	Aberfeldie	9	3
Molly Hemburrow	Sunbury Lions	5	1
Chloe Hodgson	Sunbury Lions	3	0
Faith Holloway	Aberfeldie	8	0
Claire Leahy	Strathmore	3	0
Alisa Magri	Sunbury Lions	9	4
Georgia Marsland	Pascoe Vale	3	2
India McNeill-Wren	Sunbury Lions	3	0
Georgia Patrikios V	Pascoe Vale	8	6
Krstel Petrevski	Pascoe Vale	4	1
Lethea Phillipou	Keilor	1	0
Georgie Prespakis	Sunbury Lions	3	1
Madison Prespakis 🚺 D	Sunbury Lions	8	7
Kayley Reid	Aberfeldie	1	0
Carla Rendelmann 🜒	Aberfeldie	9	0
Kellie Sutton	Sunbury Lions	2	0
Felicity Theodore	Sunbury Lions	8	0
Emily Vukovic	Aberfeldie	1	0
Isabel Young	Aberfeldie	4	0
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2018 Western Jets Boys

Representative	EDFL Club	Games	Goals
Darcy Cassar	Keilor	18	8
Nathan Ellis	Keilor	6	0
David Fruscalzo	Hillside	4	0
Jaksyn Grant	Hillside	1	0
Jake Hazik	Hillside	2	3
Mitchell Hearne	Keilor	10	0
Josh Honey	Keilor	18	14
Josh Klaromenos	Hillside	3	5
Lachlan Pettigrove	East Keilor	7	0
Stefan Radovanovic V	Keilor	14	2
Lucas Rocci	Aberfeldie	16	3
Tristan Rudic	Hillside	14	4
Darren Walters	Keilor	17	1
Cassius White	Hillside	3	3

2018 Western Jets Girls

Representative	EDFL Club	Games	Goals
Hannah Bult	Keilor	3	0
Kaitlyn O'Keefe	Keilor	6	1
Kelera Ratu	Keilor	1	0
Leah Spargo	Keilor	4	0
Laura Wright	Keilor	3	0
Nikita Wright	Hillside	1	0

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Junior Interleague

Under 13A Boys



Lindon Way - Coach				
Kristian Barresi	Jordan Neicho			
Charles Bolmat	Joseph Pennella			
Ryan Brodie	Blake Polley			
Jordan Croft	Josh Robertson			
Brodey Farrugia	Angus Ryan			
Lachlan Fazzolari	James Sheridan			
Liam Hall	Mahmoud Taha			
Damon Hollow	Alex Tsia			
Harrison Jamieson	Gautier Vecchie			
Nicholas Karakyriakos	Darcy Weeks			
Mathieson King	Daniel Yankovski			
Jordan Lombardo	Hunter Young			
Damon Motta	Ahmed Zahraman			
Kade Mueller				

Under 14A Boys



Roy Fishenden - Coach			
Peter Barbopoulos	Sebastian McKerrow		
Julian Costanzo	Kyle Millsom		
Marcus Di Sipio	Zane Murphy		
Carlos Egan	Daniel Nettleton		
Eren Fikir	Paul Pascu		
Nicholas Fluke	Kittipitt Patrick Gleeson		
Jhett Gaskett	Steven Pavlovic		
Oliver Hibble	Benjamin Pereara		
Jamie Hinton	Jovan Petric		
William Hubik	Daniel Restuccia		
Nikolaos Karagiolis	Daniel Schwarzenberg		
Jordan Lay	Joal Vendramini		
Kobe Long	Zavier Veneziano		

Under 15A Boys



Troy Newton - Coach				
Noah Candotti	Tom Newman			
Patrick Carracher	Jack Pelosi			
Finn Dolan	Jai Pizzinga			
Flynn Gentile	Lucas Repic			
Tyson Gill	Tyson Rutley			
Ryan Hargreaves	Jorge Sepulveda			
Brock Jacobsen	Zac Taylor			
Jamieson Jarvis	Cooper West			
Michael Ktona	Kobi West			
Darby Lalor	Dane Whitnall			
Ryan Martin	Craig Willach			
Harris McMurray	Tyler Willis			
Joshua Misiti	Cairan Wrigglesworth			



Under 15 Girls

Ron Sikora - Coach			
Ruby Allison	Paige Green		
Charlotte Baskaran	Montana Ham		
Qiana Beck	Jessica Hourigan		
Mia Briedis	Emma Keily		
Brooke Byron	Olivia Manfre		
Alessia Cassar	Taya Meiers		
Charlotte Clayton	Tahlia Read		
Neve Crowley	Emily Rudic		
Karla De Keizer	Mia Selch		
Olivia Foggiato	Harper Sell		
Skye Forbes	Trilby Sheppard		
Zali Friswell	Ruby Smith		
Tahlia Gillard	Maggie Styles		

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Junior Interleague

Under 13B Boys



Troy Newton - Coach				
Jacob Atkins	Nicholas Mitsos			
Riley Barnett	Will Natoli			
Taine Beattie	Issa Rabah			
Jacob Cannon	Theo Sirp			
Jenson Castillo	Jack Skidmore			
Daniel Di Qual	Luke Smith			
Joey Greto	Ahmed Taleb			
Khalil Kaakour	Liam Tsamasiros			
Isaac Kako	Nash Villani			
Zackariha Khaldie	Blake Williams			
Ali Khoder	Brodee Wilson			
Zachary Kuret	Emirhan Yalim			
Frankie Marino	Isaac Yates			
Nathan Melville				

Under 14B Boys



John Singarella - Coach				
Noah Blight	Jack McCartney			
Max Bruns	Jackson McMenamin			
Darcy Campbell	Dante Palermo			
Xavier Conte-Scott	Jye Piescik			
Joshua Crump	Matthew Spano			
Chase Dawson	Patrick Taylor			
Gabriele D'Intinosante	Marcus Tsiflidis			
Flynn Harvey	Austin Warden			
Joshua Heaton	Fletcher Ware			
Konrad Karner	Jamie Willder			
Sam Lazarevski	Declan Willmore			
Ty Macumber	Joshua Winchester			
Jack Mantello	Heath Zwagerman			

Under 15B Boys



1				
Luke Williams - Coach				
Lucas Alderman	Escher Richter			
William Banks	Daniel Ruscigno			
Ethan Brodie	Ryan Schiavone			
Ethan Caffari	Luke Scicchitano			
Hayden Da Cruz	Luke Solano			
Matthew Doody	Max Taylor			
Riley Harper	Bailey Traunini			
Max Johnston	Nathan Wagner			
Benjamin Mazziol	Jasper White			
Keiran McGadey	William Wright			
Riley Miksa	Bailey Wyka			
Cody Pryor	Ethan Xerri			
Jayden Ribera				

Under 13A Boys Junior Carnival EDFL 8.8-56 def. RDFL 0.2-2 WRFL 1.3-9 def. by EDFL 8.7-55

Under 13B Boys Junior Carnival RDFL 2.3-15 def. by EDFL 9.11-65 EDFL 1.1-7 def. by WRFL 11.5-71

2018 Results

Under 14A Boys AFL Victoria Junior Metropolitan Championships NFL 14.7-91 def. EDFL 2.10-22 EDFL 9.5-59 def. by SMJFL 13.10-88 YJFL 13.8-86 def. EDFL 9.7-61

Under 14B Boys AFL Victoria Junior Metropolitan Championships NFL 8.11-59 def. EDFL 4.7-31 EDFL 5.14-44 def. by SMJFL 9.11-65 YJFL 24.13-157 def. EDFL 1.4-10 Under 15A Boys AFL Victoria Junior Metropolitan Championships EDFL 6.6-42 def. NFL 4.11-35

EDFL 6.6-42 def. NFL 4.11-35 SMJFL 22.13-145 def. EDFL 5.9-39 EDFL 2.6-18 def. by YJFL 10.23-83

Under 15B Boys AFL Victoria Junior Metropolitan Championships EDFL 9.23-77 def. NFL 1.5-11 SMJFL 12.10-82 def. EDFL 7.3-45 EDFL 4.3-27 def. by YJFL 5.13-43 Under 15 Girls AFL Victoria Junior Metropolitan Championships WR/NM & WB NGA 3.3-21 def. by EDFL 8.9-57 EDFL 19.11-125 def. ERG 1.0-6 YJFL 2.2-14 def. by EDFL 9.6-60



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Aberfeldie

President: John Larkins Secretary: Geoff Brown Treasurer: Andrew Brown Total Teams Fielded: 27 2018 Premierships: 5 Senior B&F: Luke Blackwell



Airport West

President: Pauline McShanag Secretary: Robert Smith Treasurer: Angelo Gentile Total Teams Fielded: 10 2018 Premierships: 3 Senior B&F: Bior Malual



Ascot Vale

President: Dean Morris Secretary: Nicole Shelton Treasurer: Graham Bowden Total Teams Fielded: 3 2018 Premierships: 0 Senior B&F: N/A



Avondale Heights

President: Ted Hatzakortzian Secretary: Lisa Riitano Treasurer: None Total Teams Fielded: 11 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Ciaran Sheehan



President: Justin Peagram Secretary: Shaun Newell Treasurer: Alisa Dearnley Total Teams Fielded: 18 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Jordan Hughes



Total Teams Fielded: 10 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Justin Blackley

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Craigieburn

President: John Perrone Secretary: Margaret Perkins Treasurer: Linda Perrone Total Teams Fielded: 17 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Brent Gordon



East Keilor

President: Geoff Nicholl Secretary: Gavan Wignall Treasurer: Kylie Nicholl Total Teams Fielded: 12 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Ash Arrowsmith



East Sunbury President: Keith Osborne Secretary: Julie Brne Treasurer: David Spiteri Total Teams Fielded: 12 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Lachlan Brne



Essendon Doutta Stars

President: Bruce Runting Secretary: Sarah Grant Treasurer: Paul Gleeson Total Teams Fielded: 18 2018 Premierships: 2 Senior B&F: Jordan Schroder



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Glenroy

President: Murray Nilsson Secretary: Ozzie Salvatico Treasurer: Cheryl Nilsson Total Teams Fielded: 8 2018 Premierships: 0 Senior B&F: Matthew Walker



Greenvale

President: Bruce Kent Secretary: Ken Hutchinson Treasurer: Joe Crisara Total Teams Fielded: 23 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Sam Zumbo

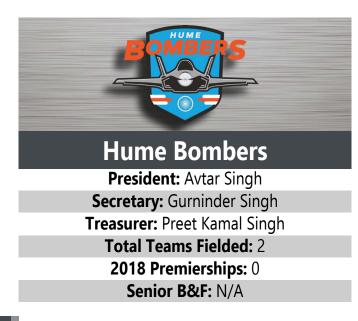


Hadfield President: Mark Stefanac Secretary: Sally McKerchar Treasurer: Alan Kerr Total Teams Fielded: 6 2018 Premierships: 0 Senior B&F: Harley Ferguson



Hillside

President: Scott Marsden
Secretary: Cary Ferraro
Treasurer: Darren Shaw
Total Teams Fielded: 19
2018 Premierships: 3
Senior B&F: Tom Drake





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Jacana

President: Rick Lloyd Secretary: Margaret Noble Treasurer: Khan Sayers Total Teams Fielded: 4 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Billy Morrison



Keilor

President: Craig Hill Secretary: Marita Tobin Treasurer: Ray Sheridan Total Teams Fielded: 27 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Nick O'Kearney



Keilor Park

President: Brad Davies Secretary: Kylie Garth Treasurer: Peter McGrady Total Teams Fielded: 6 2018 Premierships: 0 Senior B&F: N/A



Maribyrnong Park

President: Doug Stevens Secretary: Tony Fisher Treasurer: Michael Tamburro Total Teams Fielded: 25 2018 Premierships: 4 Senior B&F: Will Martiniello





Moonee Valley

President: Sarah Mudford Secretary: Brett Curran Treasurer: Ann-Maree Simmons Total Teams Fielded: 16 2018 Premierships: 6 Senior B&F: Braden Padmore



Northern Saints

President: Geoff English Secretary: Tiziana Kosmak Treasurer: Dominic Vivona Total Teams Fielded: 7 2018 Premierships: 2 Senior B&F: Tamer Abdallah



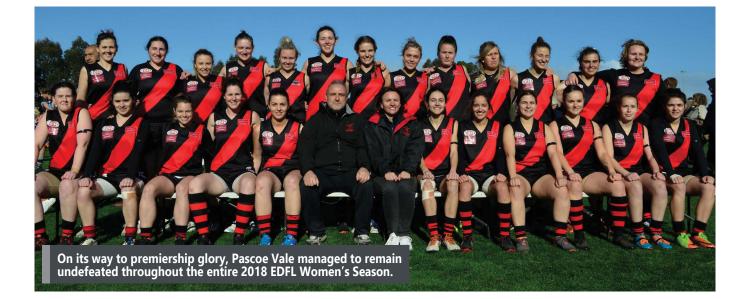
Oak Park

President: Jeff Lowerson Secretary: Pauline Strkalj Treasurer: Casey McCutcheon Total Teams Fielded: 9 2018 Premierships: 2 Senior B&F: Kirk Lang



Pascoe Vale

President: Brian Campisi Secretary: Jenny Tydell Treasurer: Larelle Shaw Total Teams Fielded: 21 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Matthew Watson



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Roxburgh Park Co-Presidents: Mark Sedgwick & John Short

Secretary: Tracey Winmar Treasurer: Belinda Howson Total Teams Fielded: 11 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Michael Farrelly



Strathmore

President: John Elliott Secretary: Michael Horne Treasurer: Glen Williams Total Teams Fielded: 27 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Luke Jarrad



Taylors Lakes

President: Hilary Pollock Secretary: Julie Chitsos Treasurer: Julie Chitsos Total Teams Fielded: 13 2018 Premierships: 1 Senior B&F: Jake Hobbs



Tullamarine

President: Peter Labbad Secretary: Jo-Anne Hardman Treasurer: Greg Marcy 1018 Premierships: 0 Senior B&F: Kane Mulvaney



West Coburg President: David Gloury Secretary: Kim Behringer Treasurer: Michael Gerdtz Total Teams Fielded: 19 2018 Premierships: 2 Senior B&F: Dane Lucas



Westmeadows

President: Gareth Hanlon Secretary: Deb Williams Treasurer: Anna Johnson Total Teams Fielded: 18 2018 Premierships: 2 Senior B&F: Justin Taylor

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Home & Away Results

Round 1

Keilor 11.8-74 def. by Strathmore 12.14-86 Glenroy 9.11-65 def. by West Coburg 11.7-73 Maribyrnong Park 30.17-197 def. Essendon Doutta Stars 9.8-62 Greenvale 18.8-116 def. Avondale Heights 8.9-57 Aberfeldie 12.9-81 def. Pascoe Vale 11.13-79

Round 2

Essendon Doutta Stars 8.10-58 def. by Glenroy 12.15-87 Avondale Heights 4.9-33 def. by Maribyrnong Park 10.13-73 Strathmore 8.14-62 def. by Greenvale 13.8-86 Pascoe Vale 7.13-55 def. by Keilor 13.8-86 West Coburg 4.5-29 def. by Aberfeldie 10.13-73

Round 3

Greenvale 18.19-127 def. Glenroy 12.6-78 Maribyrnong Park 15.12-102 def. West Coburg 9.11-65 Keilor 29.20-194 def. Essendon Doutta Stars 9.9-63 Aberfeldie 13.7-85 dr. Avondale Heights 12.13-85 Strathmore 7.8-50 def. by Pascoe Vale 15.15-105

Round 4

Glenroy 13.7-85 def. by Strathmore 14.11-95 Pascoe Vale 11.9-75 def. by Maribyrnong Park 12.13-85 Aberfeldie 6.10-46 def. by Greenvale 7.6-48 West Coburg 8.15-63 def. by Keilor 13.18-96 Essendon Doutta Stars 6.12-48 def. by Avondale Heights 13.14-92

Round 5

Avondale Heights 12.9-81 def. by Glenroy 16.14-110 Maribyrnong Park 18.11-119 def. Strathmore 9.12-66 Greenvale 8.8-56 def. by Pascoe Vale 14.5-89 Keilor 9.8-62 def. by Aberfeldie 12.8-80 West Coburg 6.13-49 def. Essendon Doutta Stars 6.6-42

Round 6

Aberfeldie 19.14-128 def. Glenroy 9.7-61 Keilor 8.11-59 def. by Maribyrnong Park 15.20-110 Greenvale 9.7-61 def. West Coburg 7.8-50 Pascoe Vale 22.11-143 def. Essendon Doutta Stars 15.11-101 Strathmore 14.11-95 def. Avondale Heights 8.5-53

Round 7

Glenroy 7.11-53 def. by Keilor 26.22-178 Maribyrnong Park 11.14-80 def. by Greenvale 14.6-90 Essendon Doutta Stars 8.5-53 def. by Aberfeldie 27.14-176 Avondale Heights 5.4-34 def. by Pascoe Vale 17.14-116 West Coburg 10.12-72 def. by Strathmore 11.14-80

Round 8

Glenroy 9.11-65 def. by Pascoe Vale 24.10-154 Aberfeldie 11.9-75 def. Maribyrnong Park 5.12-42 Keilor 18.6-114 def. Greenvale 11.10-76 Essendon Doutta Stars 5.5-35 def. by Strathmore 14.15-99 West Coburg 5.14-44 def. by Avondale Heights 11.7-73

Round 9

Strathmore 8.14-62 def. Aberfeldie 6.12-48 Pascoe Vale 16.15-111 def. West Coburg 5.9-39 Maribyrnong Park 17.9-111 def. Glenroy 9.7-61 Greenvale 10.9-69 def. Essendon Doutta Stars 9.11-65 Avondale Heights 8.8-56 def. by Keilor 14.14-98

Round 10

West Coburg 5.7-37 def. by Glenroy 11.13-79 Essendon Doutta Stars 8.10-58 def. by Maribyrnong Park 18.13-121 Avondale Heights 10.10-70 def. by Greenvale 10.13-73 Strathmore 8.13-61 def. by Keilor 11.14-80 Pascoe Vale 12.10-82 def. Aberfeldie 11.10-76

Round 11

Glenroy 11.8-74 def. Essendon Doutta Stars 10.8-68 Maribyrnong Park 20.21-141 def. Avondale Heights 9.3-57 Greenvale 5.9-39 def. by Strathmore 15.7-97 Keilor 13.12-90 def. Pascoe Vale 7.7-49 Aberfeldie 22.16-148 def. West Coburg 6.4-40

Round 12 Glenroy 10.7-67 def. by Greenvale 13.12-90 West Coburg 5.4-34 def. by Maribyrnong Park 13.14-92 Essendon Doutta Stars 7.10-52 def. by Keilor 10.8-68 Avondale Heights 13.8-86 def. by Aberfeldie 21.12-138 Pascoe Vale 9.6-60 def. by Strathmore 15.12-102

Round 13

Glenroy 11.7-73 def. by Avondale Heights 15.18-108 Strathmore 10.13-73 def. Maribyrnong Park 10.8-68 Pascoe Vale 10.4-64 def. by Greenvale 13.16-94 Aberfeldie 12.12-84 def. by Keilor 20.9-129 Essendon Doutta Stars 10.15-75 def. West Coburg 6.6-42

Round 14

Strathmore 19.12-126 def. Glenroy 10.11-71 Avondale Heights 15.9-99 def. by Essendon Doutta Stars 19.8-122 Maribyrnong Park 7.8-50 def. by Pascoe Vale 18.13-121 Greenvale 7.7-49 def. by Aberfeldie 14.9-93 Keilor 15.13-103 def. West Coburg 10.8-68

Round 15

Keilor 22.14-146 def. Glenroy 11.4-70 Greenvale 11.6-72 def. Maribyrnong Park 9.11-65 Aberfeldie 16.12-108 def. Essendon Doutta Stars 4.7-31 Pascoe Vale 16.8-104 def. Avondale Heights 11.8-74

Strathmore 20.10-130 def. West Coburg 6.13-49

Round 16

Glenroy 5.5-35 def. by Aberfeldie 17.15-117 Maribyrnong Park 9.8-62 def. by Keilor 14.14-98 West Coburg 8.9-57 def. by Greenvale 14.11-95 Essendon Doutta Stars 4.9-33 def. by Pascoe Vale 10.21-81 Avondale Heights 8.9-57 def. by Strathmore 9.9-63

Round 17

Pascoe Vale 19.18-132 def. Glenroy 8.6-54 Maribyrnong Park 7.8-50 def. by Aberfeldie 15.13-103 Greenvale 12.11-83 def. Keilor 10.12-72 Strathmore 8.14-62 def. Essendon Doutta Stars 7.4-46 Avondale Heights 13.18-96 def. West Coburg 7.9-51

Round 18

Aberfeldie 12.11-83 def. Strathmore 8.7-55 West Coburg 9.7-61 def. by Pascoe Vale 15.15-105 Glenroy 11.4-70 def. by Maribyrnong Park 15.19-109 Essendon Doutta Stars 12.17-89 def. Greenvale 9.7-61 Keilor 22.9-141 def. Avondale Heights 6.7-43

Ladders & Finals Results

Strathmore Community Bank Premier Division

	Club	Р	W	L	D	%	PTS
1	Keilor 🔤	18	14	4	0	155.52	56
2	Aberfeldie 🍸	18	13	4	1	161.60	54
3	Strathmore	18	13	5	0	119.02	52
4	Greenvale	18	13	5	0	105.32	52
5	Pascoe Vale	18	12	6	0	140.13	48
6	Maribyrnong Park	18	11	7	0	131.84	44
7	Avondale Heights	18	4	13	1	74.16	18
8	Glenroy	18	4	14	0	64.91	16
9	Essendon Doutta Stars	18	3	15	0	60.43	12
10	West Coburg 🔻	18	2	16	0	56.77	8
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Semi Final 2 - *Saturday September 1* Keilor 6.7-43 def. by Aberfeldie 7.9-51

Semi Final 1 - Sunday September 2 Strathmore 13.12-90 def. Greenvale 7.8-50

Preliminary Final - Sunday September 9 Keilor 12.17-89 def. Strathmore 12.15-87

Grand Final - *Sunday September 16* **Aberfeldie** 17.11-113 def. **Keilor** 7.10-52

Premier Division Reserves

	Club	Р	W	L	D	%	PTS
1	Greenvale 🍸	18	15	3	0	380.68	60
2	Keilor 🖦	18	13	4	1	212.39	54
3	Maribyrnong Park	18	13	5	0	156.63	52
4	Strathmore	18	12	6	0	112.62	48
5	Aberfeldie	18	11	7	0	251.52	44
6	West Coburg	18	9	9	0	122.20	36
7	Pascoe Vale	18	9	9	0	91.38	36
8	Avondale Heights	18	4	13	1	33.27	18
9	Glenroy	18	2	16	0	22.42	8
10	Essendon Doutta Stars	18	0	16	2	30.74	4

Semi Final 2 - Saturday September 1 Greenvale 12.10-82 def. Keilor 6.2-38

Semi Final 1 - Sunday September 2 Maribyrnong Park 5.13-43 def. by Strathmore 13.6-84

Preliminary Final - *Sunday September 9* **Keilor** 16.10-106 def. **Strathmore** 6.10-46

Grand Final - Sunday September 16 Greenvale 15.8-98 def. Keilor 10.2-62

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Under 19.5 Premier Division

	Club	Р	W	L	D	%	PTS
1	Maribyrnong Park 🌑	15	12	3	0	237.11	60
2	Aberfeldie 🍸	14	11	3	0	189.75	60
3	Strathmore	15	11	4	0	245.05	56
4	Keilor	16	11	5	0	151.97	52
5	Greenvale	15	4	11	0	53.71	28
6	Pascoe Vale	16	3	13	0	43.61	20
7	Avondale Heights	15	1	14	0	28.98	12

🏆 Premier l 🕤 Runner-Up 🛛 🔻 Relegated

Semi Final 2 - Saturday September 1 Maribyrnong Park 7.7-49 def. Aberfeldie 6.9-45

Semi Final 1 - Sunday September 2 Strathmore 10.8-68 def. Keilor 2.5-17

Preliminary Final - Sunday September 9 Aberfeldie 8.10-58 def. Strathmore 7.5-47

Grand Final - *Sunday September 16* **Maribyrnong Park** 5.5-35 def. by **Aberfeldie** 13.5-83

Grand Final Report

BERFELDIE won its third premiership in four years in emphatic style.

With eight consecutive goals through the second and third quarters, Abers got on a roll and never looked back, winning by 61 points.

It was Aberfeldie's first ever back-toback premiership win.

Dominating in the clearances all day and showing real poise, Luke Blackwell claimed his second Reg Rose Medal in impressive fashion.

Keilor's Damien Cavka started off brilliantly with a goal in the first 70 seconds and the Blues seemed to have control of both ends of the ground early, with Brad Xavier providing some big intercept marks.

After a relatively even first quarter and with Keilor kicking the first two goals of the second, it seemed they were starting to take control.

Aberfeldie, though, seemed to flick a switch, and with the use of leg speed and its ability to win one-on-one contests, its second and third quarters set up its historic win.

In this period, Blackwell stepped up and showed why he is one of the EDFL's great players, bursting out of clearances time and time again. His high disposal efficiency was exciting to watch.

Jean-Luc Velissaris seemed to be a part of many of Aberfeldie's scoring chains and finished with three goals for the day.

Blues skipper Kane Barbuto stepped up at times in midfield with some dashing runs along the wing, but he didn't have enough help around him.

Keilor's poor forward entries combined with Aberfeldie's immense tackling pressure didn't allow the Blues to get a flow up forward.

James Peters was a beneficiary of Aberfeldie's dominance, as he was able to lay some big chase-down tackles and snag a goal from the boundary line, sending 'The Hill' into a frenzy.

By half time Aberfeldie had established a handy 41-point lead.

It didn't take long for the reigning premier to extend that lead in the third, with Josh Cubillo and Zach Hislop hitting the scoreboard.

Andrew Browne got one back, however, the Blues wasted several other chances and couldn't get back into the game in the third guarter. Aberfeldie's back six held down some

of the best forwards of the division, and play-maker Jacob Craven was the catalyst.

Craven seemed to be everywhere inside defensive 50 with intercept marks and quick hands out of danger. He set the tone for his side. Through his side's ability to generate forward pressure acts, pace out of midfield and perfect structure, Aberfeldie coach Adam Potter couldn't have asked for much more from his men. Potter is now a three-time premiership coach with Aberfeldie since joining the club in 2015, surpassing fellow modern EDFL coaching greats, Brodie Holland, Anthony Rock and Mick McGuane.

Written By Liam McAllion

ABERFELDIE | 4.3 | 10.7 | 12.9 | 17.11-113

Goal Kickers: Z. Hislop 3, J. Velissaris 3, M. Austin 2, J. Pound 2, J. Peters 2, J. Binns, C. Hislop, J. Foster, J. Cubillo, L. Blackwell

Reg Rose Medal: Luke Blackwell

KEILOR | 2.1 | 4.2 | 6.7 | 7.10-52 Goal Kickers: D. Galea 3, D. Cavka, A. Browne, R. Hards, J. Martin





Home & Away Results

Round 1

Jacana 7.6-48 def. by Westmeadows 18.19-127 Taylors Lakes 9.9-63 def. East Keilor 6.10-46 Craigieburn 14.12-96 def. Hillside 9.6-60 Tullamarine 14.13-97 def. Oak Park 8.7-55 Airport West - BYE

Round 2

Oak Park 11.9-75 def. by Hillside 16.9-105 Westmeadows 10.5-65 def. by Tullamarine 15.15-105 East Keilor 13.13-91 def. by Craigieburn 15.11-101 Airport West 17.17-119 def. Taylors Lakes 14.8-92 Jacana - BYE

Round 3

Hillside 16.13-109 def. Taylors Lakes 7.10-52 Westmeadows 14.17-101 def. Oak Park 12.7-79 Craigieburn 31.14-200 def. Jacana 12.6-78 East Keilor 9.14-68 def. by Airport West 12.12-84 Tullamarine - BYE

Round 4 Airport West 25.19-169 def. Jacana 8.5-53 Hillside 25.8-158 def. Westmeadows 7.9-51 Tullamarine 13.16-94 def. Craigieburn 14.7-91 Taylors Lakes 22.14-146 def. Oak Park 12.12-84 East Keilor - BYE

Round 5 Tullamarine 13.14-92 def. Hillside 6.16-52 Craigieburn 8.8-56 def. by Airport West 15.16-106 Jacana 14.11-95 def. by East Keilor 13.19-97 Taylors Lakes 8.15-63 def. Westmeadows 4.13-37 Oak Park - BYE

Round 6 Airport West 18.25-133 def. Hillside 14.7-91 East Keilor 6.16-52 def. by Tullamarine 15.12-102 Jacana 8.13-61 def. by Taylors Lakes 20.10-130 Oak Park 8.9-57 def. by Craigieburn 20.15-135 Westmeadows - BYE Round 7 Hillside 14.10-94 def. East Keilor 13.13-91 Tullamarine 16.11-107 def. Jacana 5.3-33 Oak Park 9.8-62 def. by Airport West 18.6-114 Westmeadows 12.7-79 def. by Craigieburn 16.22-118 Taylors Lakes - BYE

Round 8 Jacana 10.10-70 def. by Hillside 22.11-143 Taylors Lakes 14.9-93 def. Tullamarine 12.20-92 East Keilor 10.15-75 def. by Oak Park 11.10-76 Airport West 9.8-62 def. Westmeadows 7.16-58 Craigieburn - BYE

Round 9 Tullamarine 15.16-106 def. Airport West 5.6-36 Oak Park 16.10-106 def. Jacana 11.11-77 Westmeadows 7.11-53 def. by East Keilor 17.12-114 Craigieburn 20.13-133 def. Taylors Lakes 7.15-57 Hillside - BYE

Round 10 East Keilor 12.16-88 def. Taylors Lakes 12.11-83 Oak Park 17.7-109 def. Tullamarine 10.14-74 Westmeadows 15.13-103 def. Jacana 9.6-60 Hillside 15.11-101 def. by Craigieburn 19.14-128 Airport West - BYE

Round 11 Hillside 14.18-102 def. Oak Park 8.10-58 Tullamarine 12.10-82 def. Westmeadows 8.3-51 Craigieburn 10.10-70 def. by East Keilor 14.14-98 Taylors Lakes 5.12-42 dr. Airport West 6.6-42 Jacana - BYE

Round 12 Oak Park 10.5-65 def. Westmeadows 7.13-55 Airport West 17.14-116 def. East Keilor 9.15-69 Jacana 4.2-26 def. by Craigieburn 20.20-140 Taylors Lakes 12.14-86 dr. Hillside 12.14-86 Tullamarine - BYE Round 13 Craigieburn 13.14-92 def. by Tullamarine 15.18-108 Jacana 9.2-56 def. by Airport West 21.18-144 Westmeadows 7.12-54 def. by Hillside 13.15-93 Oak Park 12.15-87 def. by Taylors Lakes 20.13-133 East Keilor - BYE

Round 14 Hillside 8.14-62 def. by Tullamarine 11.13-79 Airport West 9.17-71 def. Craigieburn 9.9-63 East Keilor 19.11-125 def. Jacana 11.13-79 Westmeadows 7.10-52 def. by Taylors Lakes 20.8-128 Oak Park - BYE

Round 15

Hillside 13.13-91 def. Airport West 8.10-58 Tullamarine 18.10-118 def. East Keilor 10.11-71 Taylors Lakes 19.13-127 def. Jacana 13.8-86 Craigieburn 13.14-92 def. Oak Park 9.11-65 Westmeadows - BYE

Round 16 East Keilor 9.14-68 def. by Hillside 13.19-97 Jacana 11.5-71 def. by Tullamarine 25.16-166 Airport West 27.16-178 def. Oak Park 6.8-44 Craigieburn 20.12-132 def. Westmeadows 8.8-56 Taylors Lakes - BYE

Round 17 Hillside 16.13-109 def. Jacana 9.7-61 Tullamarine 17.14-116 def. Taylors Lakes 10.12-72 Oak Park 14.12-96 def. East Keilor 13.9-87 Westmeadows 11.10-76 def. by Airport West 27.14-176 Craigieburn - BYE

Round 18 Airport West 11.16-82 def. Tullamarine 8.11-59 Jacana 13.7-85 def. Oak Park 11.11-77 East Keilor 19.11-125 def. Westmeadows 5.16-46 Taylors Lakes 20.15-135 def. Craigieburn 8.15-63 Hillside - BYE

Ladders & Finals Results

Essendon Ford Division 1

	Club	Р	W	L	D	%	PTS
	Airport West 🍸 🛕	16	13	2	1	155.62	62
2	Tullamarine 🗫	16	13	3	0	146.92	60
3	Hillside	16	10	5	1	124.04	50
4	Craigieburn	16	10	6	0	133.39	48
	Taylors Lakes	16	9	5	2	115.45	48
6	East Keilor	16	6	10	0	99.42	32
7	Oak Park	16	5	11	0	72.16	28
8	Westmeadows	16	3	13	0	66.17	20
9	Jacana 🔻	16	1	15	0	50.19	12

Semi Final 2 - Saturday August 25 Airport West 15.13-103 def. Tullamarine 6.11-47

Semi Final 1 - Sunday August 26 Hillside 12.16-88 def. by Craigieburn 13.12-90

Preliminary Final - Sunday September 2 Tullamarine 13.15-93 def. Craigieburn 10.11-71

Grand Final - *Saturday September 8* **Airport West** 16.11-107 def. **Tullamarine** 13.16-94

Division 1 Reserves

	Club	Р	W	L	D	%	PTS
1	Airport West 🍸	16	14	2	0	269.97	64
2	Hillside	16	14	2	0	262.62	64
3	Taylors Lakes 🚭	16	12	4	0	190.11	56
4	East Keilor	16	11	4	1	171.41	54
5	Tullamarine	16	7	8	1	99.53	38
6	Craigieburn	16	6	10	0	114.94	32
7	Westmeadows	16	4	12	0	36.87	24
8	Oak Park	16	3	13	0	48.89	20
9	Jacana	16	0	16	0	19.61	8

Semi Final 2 - Saturday August 25 Airport West 13.9-87 def. Hillside 8.10-58

Semi Final 1 - Sunday August 26 Taylors Lakes 8.9-57 def. East Keilor 6.8-44

Preliminary Final - *Sunday September 2* **Hillside** 5.4-34 def. by **Taylors Lakes** 6.10-46

Grand Final - Saturday September 8 Airport West 19.14-128 def. Taylors Lakes 10.4-64

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Under 19.5 Division 1

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	Club	P	W	L	D	%	PTS
1	Westmeadows 🚭	18	14	4	0	297.55	56
2	Hillside	18	14	4	0	175.73	56
3	East Keilor 🍸	18	13	5	0	184.54	52
4	Craigieburn	18	9	9	0	115.58	36
5	Oak Park	18	3	15	0	35.87	12
6	Tullamarine	18	1	17	0	22.24	4

Semi Final 2 - Saturday August 25 Westmeadows 10.11-71 def. Hillside 6.8-44

Semi Final 1 - Sunday August 26 East Keilor 11.13-79 def. Craigieburn 6.5-41

Preliminary Final - *Sunday September 2* **Hillside** 3.4-22 def. by **East Keilor** 10.10-70

Grand Final - *Saturday September 8* Westmeadows 5.7-37 def. by **East Keilor** 12.5-77



2018 Essendon District Football League Annual Report

Grand Final Report

A IRPORT West won the Essendon Ford Division One flag with a thrilling 16.11-107 to 13.16-94 win over Tullamarine. Eagle, Bior Malual was awarded the David McWilliam Medal after kicking the sealer and generating great run-and-carry all game. After a 46-point margin in Airport West's favour at half time, Tullamarine turned the game on its head when it sparked the most unbelievable comeback we saw this year. Anthony Prestia booted three of his team's nine third-quarter goals, one of which gave the Demons the lead for the first time during the game.

But the Eagles held their composure in the last term, finishing off their blistering start with the most fulfilling end.

Airport West got off to a quick start to the game with Ned Gentile and Jesse McVeigh booting two first-quarter majors.

Jack Kennedy and Chris Pereira-Oliva scored goals for the Demons but quick majors from Matthew Bullock and Brendan Godden late gave the Eagles an early 22-point lead at the first break.

Lachlan Di Sebastiano and Koolyn Briggs were promising early for Airport West in the fast-tempo game.

The tempo continued in the second quarter with the Eagles continuing to play run-and-carry football.

This gave the opportunity for Godden and McVeigh to continue their good days inside 50, with Godden kicking his second and McVeigh kicking his third for the game. Evan Penaluna, Joel Brown, Luke Ryan and Ned Gentile piled on the goals afterwards to give the Eagles a 46-point lead at half time a margin which was reduced by Will Becker, courtesy of a kick after the siren.

In the third quarter, Tullamarine beat Airport West at its own game with fast-paced football and scintillating running inside 50. Steven Rizzo kicked off proceedings in the third term with a brilliant set shot from just inside 50.

But after this, it was Tullamarine who took full control, beating the Eagles at their own game in the third term.

It all started off the boot of Jack Kennedy, who ran into an open goal from close range after reading the ball off the back of the pack.

He kicked one later in the term, taking his tally to three goals for the day.

Russell Laurie then continued the comeback for the Demons with a huge goal from outside 50 in his last game of football in Tullamarine colours.

A deafening roar then took over Windy Hill when Kane Mulvaney snapped an absolute beauty from the boundary line in a remarkable goal that well and truly got the Demons back into the game.

Star forward, Anthony Prestia then got into the game with two consecutive goals to bring the Demons to within 13 points of the Eagles. After a Jack Burns goal, the Demons found themselves level with the Eagles, and were on the brink of taking the lead for the first time in the game.

Then just when you thought the siren was going to go, Prestia again bobbed up inside 50 for his third major, giving Tullamarine its first lead for the game at a very good time, leading at three-quarter time.

Godden got the much-needed breakthrough for the Eagles in the fourth term, kicking their first goal since the five-minute mark of the third.

Dean Simmons had a chance to respond for Tullamarine but then missed a crucial set shot at goal, hitting the post from outside the goal square.

Malual made him pay at the other end, kicking the sealer for Airport West to take his side back up to Strathmore Community Bank Premier Division.

Written By Julia Montesano

AIRPORT WEST | 6.0 | 12.6 | 13.7 | 16.11-107

Goal Kickers: N. Gentile 3, B. Godden 3, J. McVeigh 3, M. Bullock, E. Penaluna, J. Brown, L. Ryan, S. Rizzo, T. Young, B. Malual David McWilliam Medal: Bior Malual

TULLAMARINE | 2.4 | 4.8 | 13.13 | 13.16-94

Goal Kickers: J. Kennedy 3, A. Prestia 3, C. Pereira-Oliva, J. Port, W. Becker, R. Laurie, D. Simmons, K. Mulvaney, J. Burns





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Home & Away Results

Round 1

Moonee Valley 9.13-67 def. Coburg Districts 9.12-66 Northern Saints 24.10-154 def. Roxburgh Park 12.17-89 East Sunbury 20.19-139 def. Hadfield 8.1-49 Burnside Heights - BYE

Round 2

Coburg Districts 9.18-72 def. by Roxburgh Park 11.9-75 Hadfield 7.9-51 def. by Northern Saints 12.6-78 Burnside Heights 6.3-39 def. by East Sunbury 11.16-82 Moonee Valley - BYE

Round 3

Northern Saints 12.19-91 def. by Moonee Valley 20.8-128 East Sunbury 14.10-94 def. Roxburgh Park 11.13-79 Burnside Heights 20.16-136 def. Hadfield 15.9-99 Coburg Districts - BYE

Round 4

Moonee Valley 21.9-135 def. Burnside Heights 13.19-97 Hadfield 9.11-65 def. by Coburg Districts 19.15-129 East Sunbury 10.9-69 def. Northern Saints 10.5-65 Roxburgh Park - BYE

Round 5

Moonee Valley 10.17-77 def. East Sunbury 7.13-55 Roxburgh Park 25.15-165 def. Hadfield 3.7-25 Coburg Districts 14.13-97 def. by Burnside Heights 19.8-122 Northern Saints - BYE

Round 6

Hadfield 4.6-30 def. by Moonee Valley 13.9-87 Roxburgh Park 16.16-112 def. Burnside Heights 7.13-55 Northern Saints 13.11-89 def. by Coburg Districts 17.11-113 East Sunbury - BYE

Round 7

Moonee Valley 11.12-78 def. by Roxburgh Park 12.9-81 Coburg Districts 7.10-52 def. by East Sunbury 11.17-83 Burnside Heights 13.3-81 def. by Northern Saints 16.11-107 Hadfield - BYE

Round 8

Coburg Districts 14.13-97 def. Moonee Valley 11.16-82 Northern Saints 13.9-87 def. Roxburgh Park 10.20-80 Hadfield 7.5-47 def. by East Sunbury 13.13-91 Burnside Heights - BYE

Round 9

Roxburgh Park 16.10-106 def. Coburg Districts 10.8-68 Hadfield 7.9-51 def. by Northern Saints 11.17-83 East Sunbury 21.11-137 def. Burnside Heights 8.10-58 Moonee Valley - BYE

Round 10

Northern Saints 22.20-152 def. East Sunbury 6.7-43 Coburg Districts 27.14-176 def. Hadfield 4.4-28 Burnside Heights 14.11-95 def. Moonee Valley 11.11-77 Roxburgh Park - BYE

Round 11

Moonee Valley 10.12-72 def. by Northern Saints 11.8-74 Roxburgh Park 18.11-119 def. East Sunbury 8.5-53 Hadfield 13.10-88 def. Burnside Heights 8.12-60 Coburg Districts - BYE

Round 12

East Sunbury 9.12-66 def. by Moonee Valley 16.10-106 Roxburgh Park 13.19-97 def. Hadfield 11.7-73 Burnside Heights 8.5-53 def. by Coburg Districts 13.10-88 Northern Saints - BYE

Round 13

Moonee Valley 13.10-88 def. Hadfield 9.5-59 Burnside Heights 13.8-86 def. Roxburgh Park 12.11-83 Coburg Districts 10.8-68 def. by Northern Saints 11.14-80 East Sunbury - BYE

Round 14

Roxburgh Park 4.15-39 def. by Moonee Valley 7.6-48 East Sunbury 4.12-36 def. by Coburg Districts 7.2-44 Northern Saints 12.13-85 def. by Burnside Heights 14.9-93 Hadfield - BYE

Round 15

Moonee Valley 13.12-90 def. Coburg Districts 13.7-85 Roxburgh Park 11.12-78 def. by Northern Saints 13.12-90 Hadfield 11.5-71 def. by East Sunbury 14.11-95 Burnside Heights - BYE

Round 16

Coburg Districts 10.8-68 def. by Roxburgh Park 11.19-85 Northern Saints 19.14-128 def. Hadfield 8.7-55 Burnside Heights 13.4-82 def. by East Sunbury 15.11-101 Moonee Valley - BYE

Round 17

Moonee Valley 26.16-172 def. Burnside Heights 13.7-85 Hadfield 5.9-39 def. by Coburg Districts 12.8-80 East Sunbury 10.6-66 def. by Northern Saints 11.1-67 Roxburgh Park - BYE

Round 18

Northern Saints 13.9-87 def. by Moonee Valley 18.11-119 East Sunbury 10.8-68 def. by Roxburgh Park 10.9-69 Burnside Heights 18.10-118 def. Hadfield 14.10-94 Coburg Districts - BYE

Round 19

East Sunbury 9.9-63 def. Moonee Valley 8.7-55 Roxburgh Park 11.22-88 def. Hadfield 8.5-53 Coburg Districts 15.15-105 def. by Burnside Heights 17.10-112 Northern Saints - BYE

Round 20

Hadfield 7.8-50 def. by Moonee Valley 11.10-76 Roxburgh Park 25.20-170 def. Burnside Heights 5.4-34 Northern Saints 17.13-115 def. Coburg Districts 12.3-75 East Sunbury - BYE

Round 21

Moonee Valley 12.7-79 def. by Roxburgh Park 21.14-140 Coburg Districts 12.11-83 def. by East Sunbury 18.25-133 Burnside Heights 13.11-89 def. by Northern Saints 18.18-126 Hadfield - BYE

Ladders & Finals Results

Strathmore Community Bank Division 2

	Club	Р	W	L	D	%	PTS
1	Northern Saints	18	13	5	0	123.80	64
2	Roxburgh Park 🕎 🛕	18	12	6	0	136.58	60
3	Moonee Valley	18	12	6	0	120.29	60
4	East Sunbury 🗫	18	11	7	0	112.18	56
5	Coburg Districts	18	7	11	0	107.26	40
6	Burnside Heights	18	7	11	0	76.35	40
7	Hadfield	18	1	17	0	53.66	16

Semi Final 2 - Saturday September 1 Northern Saints 4.12-36 def. by Roxburgh Park 15.7-97

Semi Final 1 - Saturday September 1 Moonee Valley 10.6-66 def. by East Sunbury 14.8-92

Preliminary Final - Saturday September 8 **Northern Saints7**.8-50 def. by **East Sunbury** 18.13-121

Grand Final - *Saturday September 15* **Roxburgh Park** 6.11-47 def. **East Sunbury** 5.11-41

Division 2 Reserves

	Club	Р	W	L	D	%	PTS
1	Roxburgh Park 🚭	18	18	0	0	348.62	84
2	Coburg Districts	18	12	6	0	183.09	60
3	Moonee Valley 🍸	18	12	6	0	167.46	60
4	East Sunbury	18	10	8	0	122.68	52
5	Northern Saints	18	7	11	0	66.39	40
6	Hadfield	18	2	16	0	44.76	20
7	Burnside Heights	18	2	16	0	30.32	20

Semi Final 2 - Saturday September 1 Roxburgh Park 9.17-71 def. Coburg Districts 5.5-35

Semi Final 1 - Saturday September 1 Moonee Valley 9.7-61 def. East Sunbury 6.11-47

Preliminary Final - *Saturday September 8* **Coburg Districts** 3.6-24 def. by **Moonee Valley** 9.18-72

Grand Final - *Saturday September 15* **Roxburgh Park** 5.11-41 def. by **Moonee Valley** 6.13-49

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Under 19.5 Division 2

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	Club	Р	W	L	D	%	PTS
1	Moonee Valley 🍸	18	18	0	0	409.84	72
2	Northern Saints 🚭	18	12	6	0	147.20	48
3	Strathmore	18	9	9	0	94.91	36
4	East Sunbury	18	8	10	0	91.65	32
5	Roxburgh Park	18	7	11	0	82.61	28
6	Burnside Heights	18	0	18	0	21.79	0



Semi Final 2 - Saturday August 18 Moonee Valley 11.9-75 def. Northern Saints 2.7-19

Semi Final 1 - Saturday August 18 Strathmore 3.7-25 def. by East Sunbury 12.14-86

Preliminary Final - Saturday August 25 Northern Saints 8.6-54 def. East Sunbury 7.6-48

Grand Final - *Saturday September 1* **Moonee Valley** 8.16-64 def. **Northern Saints** 3.3-21

Grand Final Report

OXBURGH Park is finally the king of Strathmore Community Bank Division Two.

In what was a thrilling and hard-fought contest at a windswept Windy Hill, Magpies forward Osama Saad slotted the only goal of an intense final term.

It was enough to outlast a gallant East Sunbury side that battled manfully to the end. With both wind and rain restricting each side's flow, goals came at a premium. There were only 11 majors kicked for the entire day, but from time-on in the second term, the margin stayed within 10 points through to the final siren.

It was a ferocious game of football. Roxburgh Park had first use of the scoring end and kicked the only two goals of the opening term.

It wasn't until the 18-minute mark of the second before the Thunder finally got on the board through star playmaker, Kamen Ogilvie, who finished the quarter with two of East Sunbury's three goals for the entire first half.

The Thunder went into the main break up by just two points and when the returning Jamerson Campbell slammed through a goal at the four-minute mark of the third quarter, all momentum belonged to East Sunbury.

Campbell's goal was the Thunder's fourth

in a row.

Playing coach Michael Farrelly and captain Harley Short kept their side in touch through true grit and their hard work eventually paid off on the scoreboard with back-to-back Magpies goals in the middle of the third quarter.

Tom Cree then kicked a steadier for the Thunder, setting up a grandstand finish. The final term was a desperate arm wrestle. The game looked to have opened up in the third but as fatigue began to set in, the wet ball was hard to handle.

Saad began to wield his imposing influence around the ground and was able to take advantage when it mattered.

At the 10-minute mark of the final term, he was awarded a free kick deep in the forward pocket in front of a packed and vocal Reynolds Stand.

Ever the showman, 33-year-old casually slotted the goal – his second of the game – to put the Magpies five points in front. Roxburgh Park then scored a behind, bringing the margin to one straight kick. Despite the desperate efforts of Cree, Ogilvie and Jorden Braddy, whose ruck battle with Ferras Merhi was a highlight, the Thunder struggled to find that last crucial avenue to goal as the game drew to a close.

The siren blew with the ball on East

Sunbury's half forward flank, but it was those in silver, black and white that were rejoicing.

After failing to get the job done in both 2014 and 2016, the Magpies had finally conquered the mountain.

They'll now move up to Essendon Ford Division 1 in Season 2019.

While Farrelly, Merhi, Travis Cooke and Adrian MacKinnon all starred, the official best-on-ground medal honours went to Short.

The skipper played an unbelievable grand final, not only through his normal tenacity at the contest, but with his link play through the middle of the ground in key moments.

Written By Adem Saricaoglu

ROXBURGH PARK | 2.2 | 3.5 | 5.10 | 6.11-47

Goal Kickers: O. Saad 2, L. Capuano, J. Grant, M. Farrelly, R. Kannegiesser **BOG Medal:** Harley Short

EAST SUNBURY | 0.1 | 3.7 | 5.9 | 5.11-41 Goal Kickers: K. Ogilvie 2, J. McMahon, T. Cree, L, Campbell





Home & Away Results

Round 1

Keilor 10.17-77 def. Strathmore 1.1-7 Burnside Heights 16.16-112 def. Hillside 1.3-9 Aberfeldie 4.0-24 def. by Sunbury Kangaroos 9.16-70 Keilor Park 4.8-32 def. by Avondale Lakers 5.8-38 Pascoe Vale 13.20-98 def. Sunbury Lions 0.2-2 Westmeadows 12.10-82 def. Roxburgh Park 1.1-7 Craigieburn - BYE

Round 2

Roxburgh Park 0.0-0 def. by Pascoe Vale 15.24-114 Sunbury Lions 8.7-55 def. Keilor 3.1-19 Strathmore 4.3-27 def. by Burnside Heights 13.14-92 Craigieburn def. Avondale Lakers (W/O) Sunbury Kangaroos 8.14-62 def. Westmeadows 1.1-7 Hillside 5.7-37 def. Keilor Park 0.1-1 Aberfeldie - BYE

Round 3

Strathmore 7.7-49 def. Hillside 1.5-11 Pascoe Vale 37.20-242 def. Keilor Park 0.0-0 Westmeadows 5.3-33 def. Sunbury Lions 0.5-5 Craigieburn 2.6-18 def. by Sunbury Kangaroos 15.21-111 Avondale Lakers 1.0-6 def. by Roxburgh Park 4.8-32 Keilor 0.1-1 def. by Aberfeldie 12.14-86 Burnside Heights - BYE

Round 4

Keilor Park 2.1-13 def. by Westmeadows 4.12-36 Avondale Lakers 0.1-1 def. by Keilor 15.10-100 Roxburgh Park 0.1-1 def. by Aberfeldie 21.9-135 Sunbury Kangaroos 1.5-11 def. by Burnside Heights 9.11-65 Sunbury Lions 4.6-30 def. Craigieburn 3.3-21 Hillside 0.0-0 def. by Pascoe Vale 16.20-116 Strathmore - BYE

Round 5

Burnside Heights 11.8-74 def. Westmeadows 1.2-8 Hillside 6.10-46 def. Roxburgh Park 5.2-32 Aberfeldie 12.10-82 def. Strathmore 1.2-8 Sunbury Kangaroos 2.1-13 def. by Pascoe Vale 2.7-19 Sunbury Lions 9.4-58 def. Avondale Lakers 0.6-6 Craigieburn 3.6-24 def. by Keilor 4.2-26 Keilor Park - BYE

Round 6

Roxburgh Park 0.1-1 def. by Sunbury Lions 14.20-104 Sunbury Kangaroos 12.13-85 def. Hillside 0.1-1 Pascoe Vale 11.12-78 def. Aberfeldie 0.2-2 Keilor Park 0.0-0 def. by Burnside Heights 23.20-158 Strathmore 6.6-42 def. Craigieburn 0.5-5 Westmeadows 11.16-82 def. Avondale Lakers 1.3-9 Keilor - BYE

Round 7

Strathmore 5.4-34 def. by Sunbury Lions 6.11-47 Keilor 11.18-84 def. Roxburgh Park 1.3-9 Avondale Lakers 6.7-43 def. Hillside 3.1-19 Aberfeldie 4.7-31 def. Westmeadows 3.7-25 Craigieburn 13.11-89 def. Keilor Park 2.1-13 Burnside Heights 3.1-19 def. by Pascoe Vale 4.8-32 Sunbury Kangaroos - BYE

Round 8

Keilor Park 0.1-1 def. by Strathmore 14.8-92 Sunbury Lions 3.9-27 def. by Burnside Heights 7.10-52 Westmeadows 10.10-70 def. Hillside 2.3-15 Pascoe Vale 13.16-94 def. Keilor 0.0-0 Aberfeldie 3.12-30 def. Craigieburn 2.5-17 Roxburgh Park 0.1-1 def. by Sunbury Kangaroos 17.11-113 Avondale Lakers - BYE

Round 9

Strathmore 0.0-0 def. by Pascoe Vale 22.9-141 Aberfeldie 3.11-29 def. by Burnside Heights 5.3-33 Craigieburn def. Roxburgh Park (W/O) Sunbury Lions 9.15-69 def. Keilor Park 1.2-8 Sunbury Kangaroos 20.18-138 def. Avondale Lakers 1.0-6 Hillside 2.2-14 def. Keilor 1.2-8 Westmeadows - BYE

Round 10

Keilor Park 0.0-0 def. by Aberfeldie 16.21-117 Pascoe Vale def. Avondale Lakers (W/O) Burnside Heights def. Roxburgh Park (W/O) Keilor 3.1-19 def. by Sunbury Kangaroos 13.6-84 Westmeadows 12.18-90 def. Strathmore 1.4-10 Hillside 3.5-23 def. by Craigieburn 6.5-41 Sunbury Lions - BYE

Round 11

Sunbury Kangaroos 5.8-38 def. Sunbury Lions 1.10-16 Aberfeldie 12.12-84 def. Hillside 0.0-0 Avondale Lakers 0.3-3 def. by Strathmore 4.12-36 Keilor 16.11-107 def. Keilor Park 1.3-9 Westmeadows 0.0-0 def. by Pascoe Vale 5.11-41 Burnside Heights 11.11-77 def. Craigieburn 1.2-8 Roxburgh Park - BYE

Round 12

Avondale Lakers 0.0-0 def. by Aberfeldie 11.15-81 Roxburgh Park 0.3-3 def. by Strathmore 5.8-38 Keilor Park 1.0-6 def. by Sunbury Kangaroos 7.13-55 Burnside Heights 2.5-17 def. Keilor 0.2-2 Hillside 1.1-7 def. by Sunbury Lions 8.3-51 Craigieburn 1.5-11 def. by Westmeadows 9.5-59 Pascoe Vale - BYE

Round 13

Pascoe Vale 13.19-97 def. Craigieburn 1.0-6 Sunbury Lions 1.5-11 def. by Aberfeldie 7.5-47 Strathmore 2.4-16 def. by Sunbury Kangaroos 13.12-90 Avondale Lakers def. by Burnside Heights (W/O) Roxburgh Park 3.8-26 def. by Keilor Park 7.4-46 Westmeadows 3.6-24 def. Keilor 0.1-1 Hillside - BYE

*The Avondale Heights and Taylors Lakes Football Clubs combined to form the 'Avondale Lakers' in EDFL Women's for Season 2018. On original fixtures, results and ladders, the team was known as 'Avondale Heights/Taylors Lakes'.

Ladder & Finals Results

EDFL Women's

	Club	Р	W	L	D	%	W%
1	Pascoe Vale 🍸	12	12	0	0	2100.00	100.00
2	Burnside Heights 🚭	12	11	1	0	473.03	91.67
3	Sunbury Kangaroos	12	10	2	0	439.39	83.33
4	Aberfeldie	12	9	3	0	306.56	75.00
5	Westmeadows	12	8	4	0	184.95	66.67
6	Sunbury Lions	12	7	5	0	130.49	58.33
7	Keilor	12	5	7	0	104.72	41.67
8	Strathmore	12	5	7	0	55.92	41.67
9	Craigieburn	12	4	8	0	69.48	33.33
10	Hillside	12	3	9	0	26.30	25.00
11	Avondale Lakers	12	2	10	0	19.40	16.67
12	Roxburgh Park	12	1	11	0	14.84	8.33
13	Keilor Park	12	1	11	0	12.10	8.33

Qualifying Finals - Sunday July 29 Pascoe Vale 9.6-60 def. Aberfeldie 0.2-2 Burnside Heights 6.7-43 def. Sunbury Kangaroos 5.9-39

Elimination Finals - Sunday July 29

Westmeadows 7.12-54 def. Strathmore 4.0-24 Sunbury Lions 3.2-20 def. Keilor 2.2-14

Semi Finals - Sunday August 5

Sunbury Kangaroos 9.7-61 def. Sunbury Lions 3.4-22

Aberfeldie 3.4-22 def. by Westmeadows 4.5-29

Preliminary Finals - Sunday August 12

Pascoe Vale 6.11-47 def. Súnbury Kangaroos 0.1-1

Burnside Heights 3.6-24 def. Westmeadows 3.4-22

Grand Final - Sunday August 19 **Pascoe Vale** 8.7-55 def. **Burnside Heights** 0.0-0



2018 Essendon District Football League Annual Report

Y Premier 🗢 Runner-Up

Grand Final Report

ASCOE Vale made history at Windy Hill when it claimed a 55-point win over Burnside Heights.

A five-goal-to-none second quarter opened the floodgates for the undefeated Panthers to continue their reign, despite captain, Bridgette Aparo not playing and leading goal kicker, Siobhan Carlton failing to register a major.

Jessica George stood up in their place, winning the best-on-ground medal, which was awarded by the umpires.

The Panthers lost the toss and kicked to the Napier Street end, where goals were at a premium in a day of miserable conditions.

That didn't seem to faze them though, as they scored the opening goal, courtesy of Lisa Kirby, to take a seven-point lead into quarter time after a tight first term. Enter Sarah Theuma.

The star forward turned the game on its head, kicking three consecutive goals in four minutes to begin the second term. One goal in particular generated plenty of crowd noise, as Theuma threaded the needle on the boundary line for what was a marvellous goal.

The second-term goals didn't stop there though, as Lessey Hodgkinson got on the board seven minutes later.

Midfielder, Aimee Whelan also got on the

board late in the quarter, which acted as a reward for her efforts in the stoppages. The forwards may have to thank Sarah Larkings for their dominance, as she was able to repel the ball magnificently off halfback and penetrate it forward.

This gave the Bears no chance to enter their forward 50 and consequently, they went into the main break with a 40-point deficit.

To begin the third quarter, Krissy Trang continued to dominate for Burnside Heights, often accumulating the ball on the outside and using her speed and smarts to evade opponents.

She had an enthralling battle against Rebecca Foggie, whose long kicks and strong hands allowed the Panthers to pile the pressure onto the Bears.

One Bear in particular who was feeling the pressure was captain, Kayla Ravanello. In her 50th game, she struggled to make an impact but played the team role when she needed to, often rotating through the midfield and the forward line to help her team gain some momentum.

On the Pacco side of things, EDFL Women's Team of the Year centre-half back, Emma Westgarth kicked the only goal of the quarter, allowing her side to increase its lead to 49 points at the last break. Trang and teammate, Maria Afuhaamango continued to try hard for their side in the last quarter, going in hard to win the ball. Sina Mason was one of the Bears' best, accumulating plenty of the ball and consistently going in hard to win it. But Jessica George's long kicks and ability to find and create space caused headaches for the Bears, making it impossible to gain any territory during the game. Up forward, it was Theuma who scored early in the last term to take her goal kicking tally to four for the day.

She was complemented by some good delivery from Abigail Storer, whose ball use was sublime and played a huge part in the thumping win.

Theuma's goal extended the final margin to 55 points, and saw the Panthers become the first EDFL Women's premiers.

Written By Julia Montesano

PASCOE VALE | 1.1 | 6.4 | 7.7 | 8.7-55 Goal Kickers: S. Theuma 4, E. Westgarth, L. Hodgkinson, L. Kirby, A. Whelan BOG Medal: Jessica George

BURNSIDE HEIGHTS | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0-0 Goal Kickers: None





EDFL Awards

Strathmore Community Bank Premier Division Best & Fairest - Reynolds Medal Winner: Will Martiniello (Maribyrnong Park) 23 Votes Runner-Up: Luke Jarrad (Strathmore) 21 Votes

Essendon Ford Division 1 Best & Fairest - Hutchison Medal

Winner: James Vistarini (Taylors Lakes) 19 Votes

Runner-Up: **Anthony Prestia** (Tullamarine) 16 Votes

Strathmore Community Bank Division 2 Best & Fairest

Winner: Kamen Ogilvie (East Sunbury) 24 Votes

Runner-Up: **Cory McGrath** (Moonee Valley) 21 Votes

EDFL Women's Best & Fairest

Winner: **Bailee Said** (Sunbury Kangaroos) 17 Votes

Runners-Up: Jacinta Scott (Westmeadows) & Yolanda Jones (Sunbury Lions) 16 Votes

Strathmore Community Bank Premier Division Leading Goal Kicker Dean Galea (Keilor) 78 Goals

Essendon Ford Division 1 Leading Goal Kicker

Dean Limbach (Craigieburn) 77 Goals

Strathmore Community Bank Division 2 Leading Goal Kicker

Josh Covelli (Burnside Heights) 79 Goals

EDFL Women's Leading Goal Kicker Siobhan Carlton (Pascoe Vale) 37 Goals AGA Apprenticeships Plus Rising Star -Men's Category

Jake Hobbs (Taylors Lakes)

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Rising Star -Women's Category Bailee Said (Sunbury Kangaroos)

Premier Division Reserves Best & Fairest - J. Coleman Medal

Winner: **Ben Maud** (Keilor) 16 Votes Runner-Up: **Brad Graham** (Maribyrnong Park) 14 Votes

Division 1 Reserves Best & Fairest - Tim Watson Medal

Winner: **Nick Watts** (Craigieburn) 16 Votes Runner-Up: **Gareth Laidler** (Airport West) 15 Votes

Division 2 Reserves Best & Fairest Winner: Jordan Ashby (Coburg Districts) 18 Votes

Runner-Up: **Mazin Abbouchi** (Roxburgh Park) 17 Votes

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Under 19.5 Premier Division Best & Fairest - Mark Thompson Medal

Winners: Jonathan Keratianos (Greenvale) & Mark Mazzeo (Maribyrnong Park) 19 Votes

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Under 19.5 Division 1 Best & Fairest - Ken Fraser Medal

Winner: **Reece Desira** (Westmeadows) 24 Votes

Runners-Up: **Amar El Nour** (Hillside) & **Luke Szala** (Craigieburn) 20 Votes

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Under 19.5 Division 2 Best & Fairest Winner: Adnan Hafda (Northern Saints) 13 Votes Runner-Up: Jarrio Guterres (Roxburgh Park) 12 Votes

Senior Thirds Best & Fairest Winner: Jarrod Elms (Roxburgh Park) 16 Votes Runner-Up: Vincent Helou (West Coburg) 13 Votes

Jack Harris Administrator of the Year Margaret Perkins (Craigieburn)

Umpire of the Year Brett Pallini

North West AFCA Coach of the Year -Auskick Category David Brooks (Keilor Auskick)

North West AFCA Coach of the Year -Junior Category Aaron Wyka (Keilor Park U11s)

North West AFCA Coach of the Year -Youth Category

Darren Sheridan (Avondale Heights U13s)

North West AFCA Coach of the Year -Senior Category

Claire Heffernan (Aberfeldie Women's)

North West AFCA Coach of the Year -Female Category Abigail Storer (Coburg Districts U11 Girls)

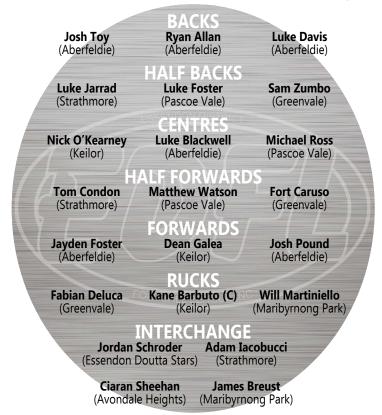






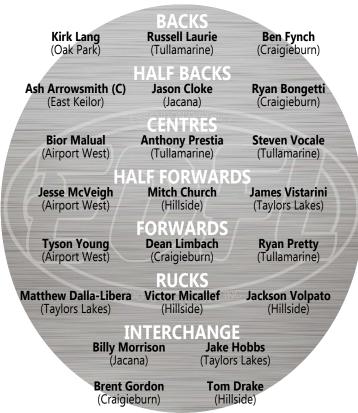
Teams of the Year

Strathmore Community Bank Premier Division





Essendon Ford Division 1



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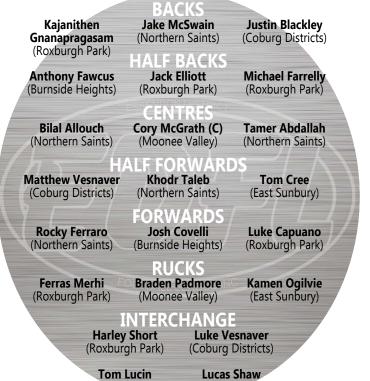
David Connell

(Tullamarine)

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Teams of the Year

Strathmore Community Bank Division 2



(East Sunbury)

(Coburg Districts)

COACH Shanon Carroll (Moonee Valley)



EDFL Women's



COACH Claire Heffernan (Aberfeldie)



Junior Best & Fairest Results

Under 17 Division 1 - Kevin Sheedy Medal Winner: Khodr Yehia (West Coburg) 15 Votes Runner-Up: Jett Mathews (Hillside) 13 Votes

Under 17 Division 2 - Jack Clarke Medal Winner: Declan Tully (Essendon Doutta Stars) 23 Votes Runner-Up: Ryan Mullen (Westmeadows) 13 Votes

Under 17 Division 3

Winner: **Rocco Tripodi** (Avondale Heights) 21 Votes Runner-Up: **Jalen Gill** (Avondale Heights) 16 Votes

Under 17 Division 4

Winner: **Sean Morrow** (Hillside) 15 Votes Runner-Up: **Stephen Mihelakos** (West Coburg) 14 Votes

Under 17 Division 5

Winner: **Luca Muratore** (Airport West) 21 Votes

Runners-Up: **Liam Montrose** (Tullamarine) & **Matthew Vella** (Burnside Heights) 11 Votes

Under 15 Division 1 - Simon Madden Medal

Winners: **Cody Pryor** (Craigieburn) & **Michael Ktona** (Aberfeldie) 15 Votes

Under 15 Division 2

Winner: **Zac Taylor** (Oak Park) 20 Votes Runners-Up: **Andre Jaycock** (Maribyrnong Park) & **Jorge Sepulveda** (Pascoe Vale) 15 Votes

Under 15 Division 3

Winners: **Samuel Kosmak** (Northern Saints), **Flynn Gentile** (Airport West) & **Mohammed Yassine** (Roxburgh Park) 19 Votes

Under 15 Division 4 Winner: Cairan Wrigglesworth (Jacana) 37 Votes Runner-Up: Luca Mollica (Maribyrnong Park) 20 Votes

Under 15 Division 5

Winner: Kosta Papadopoulos (Maribyrnong Park) 17 Votes Runners-Up: Ali Saad (Glenroy), Bailey Meldrum (Pascoe Vale) & Lewis Shea (Essendon Doutta Stars) 12 Votes

Under 15 Division 6 Winner: Bailey Walpole (Craigieburn) 18

Votes Runner-Up: **Sebastian Frazzetto** (Hillside) 16 Votes

Under 13 Division 1 - Mark Harvey Medal Winner: Charles Bolmat (Pascoe Vale) 27 Votes Runner-Up: Liam Hall (Greenvale) 22 Votes Under 13 Division 2 Winner: Isaac Kako (Northern Saints) 28 Votes Runner-Up: Ahmed Zahraman (Northern Saints) 24 Votes

Under 13 Division 3 Winners: Nicholas Mitsos (East Keilor), Jenson Castillo (East Keilor) & Cooper Sheedy (Aberfeldie) 16 Votes

Under 13 Division 4

Winner: **Mate Mandic** (Keilor Park) 32 Votes Runner-Up: **John Carlo Torrijos** (Greenvale) 16 Votes

Under 13 Division 5

Winner: **Kye Freeman-Morton** (Craigieburn) 24 Votes Runner-Up: **Bailey Kiefer** (Keilor) 16 Votes

Under 13 Division 6 Winner: Laurie Nichols (West Coburg) 26 Votes

Runners-Up: Sam Desira (West Coburg) & Taj McKenzie (Pascoe Vale) 19 Votes

Under 13 Division 7

Winner: **Christopher Janson Jin An-Wen Low** (Moonee Valley) 18 Votes Runner-Up: **Oliver Jones** (Strathmore) 13 Votes

Under 11 Division 1 - *Terry Daniher Medal*

Winner: Noah McMenamin (Keilor) 30 Votes

Runner-Up: **Blair Marsden** (Hillside) 18 Votes

Under 11 Division 2

Winner: **Taj Robinson** (Hadfield) 29 Votes Runner-Up: **Hussien El Achkar** (Glenroy) 27 Votes

Under 11 Division 3 Winner: Kaan Akyol (Burnside Heights) 17 Votes Runner-Up: Tristan Leeds (Coburg Districts) 16 Votes

Under 11 Division 4 Winner: Maddison Lewis (Tullamarine) 21 Votes Runner-Up: Alexander Dinuzzo

(Maribyrnong Park) 16 Votes

Under 11 Division 5

Winner: **Finn Daffey** (St Francis) 26 Votes Runner-Up: **Ahmed Taleb** (West Coburg) 20 Votes

Under 11 Division 6 Winner: Robbie O'Brien (Oak Park) 16 Votes Runner-Up: Cruz Young (Moonee Valley) 15 Votes Under 11 Division 7 Winner: Isa Merhi (Essendon Doutta Stars)

26 Votes Runner-Up: **Marli Arnold** (Maribyrnong Park) 22 Votes

Under 11 Division 8 Winner: Liam Campbell (Ascot Vale) 19 Votes Runner-Up: Mitchell Spiteri (Hillside) 17 Votes

Under 18 Girls Division 1

Winner: **Georgie Prespakis** (Sunbury Lions) 20 Votes Runner-Up: **Mia Muscat** (Strathmore) 14 Votes

Under 18 Girls Division 2

Winner: Alana Barba (Roxburgh Park) 23 Votes Runners-Up: Olivia Marsland (Moonee

Valley) & **Paige Betros** (Tullamarine) 12 Votes

Under 15 Girls Division 1 Winners: Harper Sell (Strathmore) & Tahlia Read (Maribyrnong Park) 18 Votes

Under 15 Girls Division 2

Winner: **Emelia Yassir** (Pascoe Vale) 27 Votes Runner-Up: **Mariam Habib** (East Sunbury) 16 Votes

Under 15 Girls Division 3

Winner: Briana Marino (Avondale Heights) 26 Votes Runners-Up: Reese Sutton (Sunbury Lions) & Isabelle Young (Taylors Lakes) 10 Votes

Under 13 Girls Division 1

Winner: **Josephine Gleeson** (Essendon Doutta Stars) 26 Votes Runner-Up: **Ava Gerada** (Westmeadows) 21 Votes

Under 13 Girls Division 2 Winner: **Makayla D'Angelo** (Glenroy) 30 Votes Runner-Up: **Mia Bondar** (Taylors Lakes) 28 Votes

Under 11 Girls Division 1 Winner: Alexandra McBride-Loane (Maribyrnong Park) 26 Votes Runner-Up: Saskia Williams (Coburg Districts) 18 Votes

Under 11 Girls Division 2 Winner: Bo-Heavenly Webb (Westmeadows) 23 Votes Runners-Up: Lily Frangoulis (Moonee Valley) & Faith Kassis (West Coburg) 20 Votes

Grand Final Results

Strathmore Community Bank Premier Division Aberfeldie 17.11-113 def. Keilor 7.10-52

Essendon Ford Division 1 Airport West 16.11-107 def. Tullamarine 13.16-94

Strathmore Community Bank Division 2 Roxburgh Park 6.11-47 def. East Sunbury 5.11-41

Premier Division Reserves Greenvale 15.8-98 def. Keilor 10.2-62

Division 1 Reserves Airport West 19.14-128 def. Taylors Lakes 10.4-64

Division 2 Reserves Roxburgh Park 5.11-41 def. by Moonee Valley 6.13-49

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Under 19.5 Premier Division Maribyrnong Park 5.5-35 def. by Aberfeldie 13.5-83

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Under 19.5 Division 1 Westmeadows 5.7-37 def. by East Keilor 12.5-77

AGA Apprenticeships Plus Under 19.5 Division 2 Moonee Valley 8.16-64 def. Northern Saints 3.3-21

Senior Thirds Greenvale 5.4-34 def. by West Coburg 5.7-37

EDFL Women's Pascoe Vale 8.7-55 def. Burnside Heights 0.0-0

Under 17 Division 1 Strathmore 0.0-0 def. by Aberfeldie 3.4-22

Under 17 Division 2 Essendon Doutta Stars 4.11-35 def. by Maribyrnong Park 5.6-36

Under 17 Division 3 Keilor 4.8-32 def. by Taylors Lakes 5.5-35

Under 17 Division 4 Aberfeldie 8.7-55 def. Pascoe Vale 6.9-45

Under 17 Division 5 Essendon Doutta Stars 8.10-58 def. by Westmeadows 9.10-64

Under 15 Division 1 Strathmore 3.4-22 def. by Aberfeldie 7.3-45

Under 15 Division 2 Maribyrnong Park 6.10-46 def. by Oak Park 6.17-53 Under 15 Division 3 Burnside Heights 3.9-27 def. by Northern Saints 16.10-106

Under 15 Division 4 Maribyrnong Park 4.8-32 def. by Jacana 7.10-52

Under 15 Division 5 Essendon Doutta Stars 10.3-63 def. **Maribyrnong Park** 2.5-17

Under 15 Division 6 Keilor 6.9-45 def. by Hillside 7.9-51

Under 13 Division 1 Strathmore 2.2-14 def. by Keilor 4.5-29

Under 13 Division 2 Hillside 1.5-11 def. by Northern Saints 2.5-17

Under 13 Division 3 Coburg Districts 5.7-37 def. Hadfield 5.5-35

Under 13 Division 4 Avondale Heights 6.9-45 def. Keilor 3.3-21

Under 13 Division 5 Hillside 4.6-30 def. Strathmore 3.5-23

Under 13 Division 6 Pascoe Vale 4.7-31 def. by Burnside Heights 6.2-38

Under 13 Division 7 Moonee Valley 7.16-58 def. Hillside 0.4-4

Under 11 Division 1 Strathmore 2.4-16 def. Keilor 0.0-0

Under 11 Division 2 Hadfield 3.3-21 def. by Airport West 5.1-31

Under 11 Division 3 Moonee Valley 4.0-24 def. Aberfeldie 1.4-10 Under 11 Division 4 Maribyrnong Park 2.2-14 def. Airport West 0.2-2

Under 11 Division 5 East Sunbury 3.1-19 def. St Francis 1.4-10

Under 11 Division 6 Essendon Doutta Stars 3.2-20 def. by Oak Park 5.4-34

Under 11 Division 7 West Coburg 3.0-18 def. Maribyrnong Park 2.5-17

Under 11 Division 8 Maribyrnong Park 3.3-21 def. Moonee Valley 0.5-5

Under 18 Girls Division 1 Sunbury Lions 4.12-36 def. Keilor 2.3-15

Under 18 Girls Division 2 Roxburgh Park 3.7-25 def. by Hillside 8.4-52

Under 15 Girls Division 1 Essendon Doutta Stars 6.9-45 def. **Aberfeldie** 1.4-10

Under 15 Girls Division 2 St Francis 3.6-24 def. East Sunbury 2.3-15

Under 15 Girls Division 3 Moonee Valley 5.8-38 def. Sunbury Lions 4.2-26

Under 13 Girls Division 1 Strathmore 0.6-6 def. by Westmeadows 1.1-7

Under 13 Girls Division 2 Taylors Lakes 0.1-1 def. by Craigieburn 2.2-14

Under 11 Girls Division 1 Maribyrnong Park 1.1-7 def. Aberfeldie 0.0-0

Under 11 Girls Division 2 Moonee Valley 4.2-26 def. West Coburg 0.4-4



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All Time Best & Fairests

A Gra	de/Premier Division
R.S. R	eynolds Medal
(Since	
1930 1931	C.J. Johns (Northern Juniors) G. Bicknell (Sth. Kensington)
1932	A. Thompson (Flem. & Ken.)
1933	C. Skinner (Maribyrnong)
1934	J. Taylor (Moonee Valley)
1935	J. Taylor (Moonee Valley) T. Milburn (Keilor)
1936	L. Small (Ascot Vale)
1937 1938	A. Hammond (Ascot Vale) C. Spratling (La Mascotte)
1939	H. Lambert (La Mascotte)
1940	W. King (La Mascotte)
1941	A. Tormey (Fawkner)
1946	J. Ferguson (Bruns. United)
1947 1948	J. Roberts (Riverside Stars) R. Hubbert (Riverside Starts)
1949	T. Howard (Moonee Valley)
1950	J. Wade (Doutta Stars)
1951	R. Hubbert (Riverside Stars)
1952	R. Hubbert (Riverside Stars)
1953 1954	R. Hubbert (Riverside Stars)
1955	R. Hubbert (Riverside Stars) R. Hubbert (Riverside Stars)
1956	A. Murdoch (Lincoln Stars)
1957	J. Lowe (Essendon All Blacks)
1958	D. McKenzie (Ess. Bapt. St.J.)
1959	D. Cowen (West Cob. Ams)
1960 1961	B. Harwood (Moonee Imps) F. Doughty (Glenroy)
1962	W. Duerkop (Glenroy)
1963	B. McKeown (Br.meadows)
1964	K. Priestly (Aberfeldie)
1965	I. Ward (Glenroy)
1966 1967	K. Boxshall (Oak Park) K. Boxshall (Oak Park)
1968	W. Headlam (Pascoe Vale)
1969	E. Rybalko (Glenroy)
1970	G. Whelan (Oak Park)
1971	D. Langdon (Ess. H.S.E.S)
1972 1973	J. Cramb (Pascoe Vale) P. Owen (Ess. Bap. St. Johns)
1974	B. Howard (Pascoe Vale)
1975	A. Bent (Ess. Tullamarine)
1976	G. Todd (West Coburg)
1977	V. Caddy (Airport West)
1978	A. Galea (Avondale Heights) G. Thomas (Airport West)
1979	R. Christie (Doutta Stars)
1980	B. Elvery (Strathmore)
1981	P. Lord (Strathmore)
1982	R. Wescombe (Glenroy)
1983 1984	G. Pearson (Glenroy) R. Koehler (Keilor)
1985	P. Squire (Aberfeldie)
1986	
1987	P. Darby (Avondale Heights) C. Hille (Strathmore)
1988	R. Jones (Airport West)
1989 1990	S. O'Hagen (Av. Heights) D. Lambert (Airport West)
1330	G. Halbert (Keilor)

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- 1991 **O. Gulbis** (Keilor Park) 1992 **R. Jones** (Àirport West) 1993 M. Orlando (East Keilor) 1994 P. Harrison (East Keilor) 1995 D. Milner (Oak Park) 1996 M. O'Dea (Av. Heights) 1997 J. Thorley (Keilor) 1998 C. Liddle (Avondale Heights) **D. Brown** (Keilor Park) 1999 P. Docherty (Doutta Stars) 2000 **A. Ibrahim** (Av.Heights) 2001 J. Casey (Aberfeldie) L. MacNamara (Oak Park) 2002 **R. Haouchar** (West Coburg) 2003 N. Chalmers (Oak Park) 2004 R. Haouchar (Keilor) 2005 G. Holman (Strathmore) 2006 D. May (Strathmore) 2006 A. Ramsay (Doutta Stars) 2007 **R. Haouchar** (West Coburg) 2008 H. Ayres (Maribyrnong Park) 2009 H. Ayres (Maribyrnong Park) 2010 R. Van Reit (Keilor) 2011 B. Brooks (Craigieburn) 2012 M. Lynch (Ess. Doutta Stars)
- 2013 **A. Browne** (Keilor)
- 2014 M. Blake (Aberfeldie)
- 2015 M. Lynch (Aberfeldie) 2016 L. Blackwell (Aberfeldie)
- 2017 Z. Keogh (Marib. Park)
- 2018 W. Martiniello (Marib. Park)
- A Reserve/Premier Division 1995 Reserves J. Coleman Medal 1996 (Previously Quirk Medal 1976-1987) 1967 J. Annet (Keilor) 1998 1968 **B. Benton** (West Coburg) 1969 **B. Benton** (West Coburg) 2000 1970 G. Hore (Doutta Stars) 1971 N. Thorne (E. Bap. St. Johns) 2001 1972 N. Mitchell (Pascoe Vale) 2002 1973 R. Falcke (Aberfeldie) 1974 G. Walker (Strathmore) 1975 G. Fraser (Ess. Tullamarine) 1976 R. Buckland (West Coburg) 1977 P. Jinks (Avondale Heights) 1978 G. Burles (Ascot Vale) 1979 G. Burles (Ascot Vale) 1980 A. Armstrong (Keilor) 1981 **N. Falcke** (Keilor) 1982 R. Clark (Glenroy) 1983 J. McDonnell (Glenroy) 1984 **R. Ashen** (Oak Park) 1985 A. Armstrong (Tullamarine) 1986 A. Peters (Keilor) 1987 S. Harvey-Little (Av. Hts) 1988 A. Fraser (Moonee Valley) 1989 R. Hayes (Keilor) 1990 F. Britt (Aberfeldie) 1991 M. Patterson (Keilor) 1992 S. Hamid (Keilor Park)
- 1993
 - C. Gould (Airport West)
- 1994 B. Drebing (Hadfield) M. Allison (Strathmore) N. Young (Keilor Park) 1997 J. Ford (Aberfeldie) C. Bell (Strathmore) 1999 J. Kennedy (Keilor) J. Kennedy (Keilor) B. Milhailovic (Strathmore) A. Patterson (East Keilor) D. Lambropoulos (Keilor) 2003 C. Hapgood (Oak Park) 2004 A. Paterson (East Keilor) **B. Milhailovic** (Strathmore) 2005 **D. Pallegrino** (East Keilor) 2006 **D. Pound** (Aberfeldie) P. Maynard (Aberfeldie) 2007 J. Kent (Greenvale) 2008 A. Learn (Aberfeldie) 2009 C. Woods (Craigieburn) 2010 T. Schimmelbusch (O. Park) 2011 D. Monteleone (Aberfeldie) 2012 A. Bouzikas (Greenvale) 2013 A. Kefford (Aberfeldie) 2014 N. Parthenopoulos (G.vale) 2015 C. Kent (Greenvale) 2016 M. Lilino (West Coburg) 2017 M. Koronoes (Greenvale)
- 2018 B. Maud (Keilor)



All Time Best & Fairests

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W. Hu	de/Division 1 utchison Medal 1957) N. Stibbard (W. Brungwick)	2001 2002 2003
1949 1950 1951 1952 1953 1954 1955 1956	N. Stibbard (W. Brunswick) I. Monks (EHS ex-students) A. Frazer (Ess. Bap. St. Johns) J. Vistarini (Glenbervie) J. Whiley (Lincoln Stars) G. Gilbertson (N. Ess. Meth.) T. West (Marrows) T. West (Marrows)	2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009
1957 1958 1959 1960	P. Neil (Marrows) F. Boughty (West Brunswick) M. White (Strathmore) J. Cronin (Oak Park) N. Elder (Broadmeadows)	2010 2011 2012 2013 2014
1961 1962 1963 1964 1965 1966	J. Rose (Pascoe Vale) W. McMillian (W. Cob. Snrs) C. Smith (EHS ex-students) T. Mooney (Keilor) R. Howe (EHS ex-students) S. Podger (Broadmeadows)	2015 2016 2017 2018
1967 1968 1969 1970	R. Wood (Ascot Vale Pres.) G. McCarten (Riv. Stars) R. Thrip (Ascot Vale) G. Thomas (Airport West) W. Canham (Br.meadows)	B Rese Tim W (Previo 1973 - 1973
1971 1972 1973 1974 1975 1976	 G. Thomas (Airport West) G. O'Brien (T.A. Pres.) T. Munro (West Essendon) A. Tarcson (Av. Heights) G. Whelan (Oak Park) G. McLean (Ascot Vale) 	1974 1975 1976 1977 1978 1979
1977 1978 1979 1980	M. Fitzpatrick (East Keilor) B. Drebing (Hadfield) A. Smith (Royal Park) B. Sullivan (Westmeadows) G. Nyman (Royal Park)	1980 1981 1982 1983 1984
1981 1982 1983 1984	C. Casey (Aberfeldie) C. Casey (Aberfeldie) C. Casey (Aberfeldie) P. Early (Aberfeldie Park) A. Brown (Airport West) C. Malature (Bascae Vale)	1985 1986 1987 1988 1988
1985 1986 1987 1988 1989 1989 1990 1991	C. McIntyre (Pascoe Vale) R. Geyer (Pascoe Vale) K. Currie (Pascoe Vale) S. Brazil (St. Olivers) C. Neilson (Westmeadows) O. Gulbis (Keilor Park) T. Paton (Tullamarine)	1989 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995
1992 1993 1994 1995 1996	E. Muench (East Keilor) D. Keenan (Aberfeldie) R. Lamberti (Moonee Valley) C. Neilson (Westmeadows) M. Nilsson (Glenroy) B. Prosser (Marib. Park)	1996 1997 1998 1999 2000
1997 1998 1999 2000	M. Bangit (Marib. Park) G. Hopkins (Tullamarine) R. Lamberti (Moonee Valley) M. Bangit (Marib. Park) W. Duggan (Taylors Lakes) M. Bangit (Marib. Park)	2001 2002 2003 2004 2005
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	A. Garbutt (Greenvale)
2	M. Egan (Tullamarine)
3	C. Burns (Maribyrnong Park)
	A. Kheir (West Coburg)
4	B. Purcell (Pascoe Vale)
5	J. Pappin (Craigieburn)
6	R. Haouchar (West Coburg)
7	C. Munroe (East Keilor)
8	D. Bonnici (East Keilor)
9	M. DeSousa (Taylors Lakes)
	D. James (Pascoe Vale)
0	M. DeSousa (Taylors Lakes)
1	T. Abdallah (N. Saints)
2 3 4	M. DeSousa (Taylors Lakes)
3	F. Caruso (Northern Saints)
4	M. DeSousa (Taylors Lakes)
5	S. Smith (Ess. Doutta Stars)
6	J. Micallef (Hillside)
	V. Micallef (Hillside)
7	T. Young (Airport West)
8	J. Vistarini (Taylors Lakes)
	erve/Division 1 Reserves
	Vatson Medal
evi(ously K. McTaggart Medal
3 -	2009) L. Nichols (Riverside Stars) R. Darby (Riverside Stars)
3	L. Nichols (Riverside Stars)
4	R. Darby (Riverside Stars)
5 6	F. Goodwin (Ascot Vale)
6	S. Vosti (Ascot Vale)
7	R. Luckman (Pascoe Vale)
8	K. Manson (Moonee Imps)
9	N. Bourke (Strathmore)
0	K. Garrow (Royal Park)
1	C. French (Moonee Ponds)
2 3	M. Minnitti (Moonee Valley)
3	S. Reynoldson (Bruns. City)
4	R. Chitty (Moonee Valley)
5	M. Portelli (Aberfeldie Park)
6	J. Maroney (East Keilor)
_	R. Gale (West Coburg)
7	B. Campisi (Coburg District)
8	B. Campisi (Coburg District)
9	R. Falzon (Tullamarine)
0	I. Fletcher (Keilor Park)
1	I. Fisher (Tullamarine)
2 3 4	P. Paterson (Tullamarine)
3	S. McLaughlin (W.meadows)
4	C. Bray (Moonee Valley)
5 6	R. Cheesman (Pascoe Vale)
6	T. Tache (Doutta Stars)
7	R. Tottle (Doutta Stars) R. Tottle (Doutta Stars)
8	R. Tottle (Doutta Stars)
9	G. Hircoe (Pascoe Vale)
0	B. Loughron (Greenvale)
	P. Stevens (N. Cob. Saints)
1	W. Spicer (Westmeadows)
2	J. McLean (Tullamarine) J. Micallef (Greenvale)
_	J. Micallef (Greenvale)
3	R. Geyer (Pascoe Vale)
4	R. Geyer (Pascoe Vale)

A. Sandilands (Craigieburn)

2006 2007	M. Frendo (N. Cob. Saints) J. Nielson (Taylors Lakes) G. Agresta (Marib. Park)	2015 2016	 A. Patterson (East Keilor) R. Nedelkovski (Rox. Park) T. Semmens (Jacana) C. Helou (Roxburgh Park) J. Ashby (Coburg Districts)
2009 2010 2011	M. Wilson (Westmeadows) A. Lewis (Taylors Lakes) D. Watt (Sydenham Hillside) G. Sheehy (Hadfield) R. Gulifa (Airport West) J. Vistarini (Taylors Lakes) S. Merhebi (Hadfield) D. Foote (Tullamarine)	2015 2016	r Thirds A. Gray (Strathmore) T. Liberatore (Aberfeldie) J. Burke (Ess. Doutta Stars) J. Elms (Roxburgh Park)
2015 2016	T. Mamo (Taylors Lakes) M. Rossitto (E.D. Stars) M. Di Pietro (Taylors Lakes) T. Schimmelbusch (O. Park)	Comp 2017 EDFL	. & EDFL Women's betition S. Wright (Keilor) Women's
C Gra F. Gar 1961	D. Jackson (Taylors Lakes) N. Watts (Craigieburn) de land Medal J. Russell (Ascot Vale Pres.) K. Wallis (Strathmore) H. Ford (Glenroy) N. Kelly (Batman)	Unde Mark 2012 2013 2014	B. Said (Sunbury Kangaroos) r 18 Premier Division Thompson Medal N. Guarino (Keilor) J. Hemala (Greenvale) J.Barrett (Aberfeldie) B. Xavier (Keilor) S. Rasinac (Aberfeldie)
1965 1966 1967 1968 1969 1970 1971	S. Giambanco (Ascot Vale) R. Phair (Airport West) I. Lewis (Avondale Heights) P. Sully (West Coburg) D. Aloe (Old Ess. Grammar) L. Nicholls (As. Yth. Centre) T. Munro (West Essendon)	Mark	D. Tonkich (Keilor) r 19.5 Premier Division Thompson Medal G. Abboud (Marib. Park)
1973 1974 1975 1976 1977 1978 1979	L. Fox (Riverside Stars) J. Anderson (Old Ess. Gram.) V. Caddy (St. Christopher) V. Caddy (St. Christopher) S. McWhinney (St. C.topher) R. McCann (Strathmore) V. Papp (Gladstone Park) M. Kemp (EHS ex-students) A. Paterson (Brunswick City)	Ken F 2012 2013 2014 2015	r 18 Division 1 raser Medal O. Saad (West Coburg) A. Moustafa (Hadfield) A. Moustafa (Hadfield) B. Nelson (Taylors Lakes) L. Rayner (Hillside)
1981 1982 Divisi 2012	M. Evans (Gladstone Park) G. Burles (Brunswick City) on 2 T. Hamza (Hillside)	Ken F 2017	r 19.5 Division 1 raser Medal B. Fisher (Moonee Valley) R. Desira (Westmeadows)
2013 2014 2015 2016	B. Naim (Jacana) M. Hammoud (M. Valley) M. Walker (Roxburgh Park) N. Wilson (Moonee Valley) L. Vesnaver (Cob. Districts)	2012 2013 2014 2015	r 18 Division 2 A. White (Moonee Valley) B. Padmore (Moonee Valley) J. Farrugia (Burn. Heights) Z. Antovski (Keilor) T. Cree (East Sunbury)
1981	erve R. Taylor (St. Andrews) S. Abdel-Sayed (Glad. Park) D. Wilson (Marib. Park)	2018 Unde	r 19.5 Division 2 A. Hafda (Northern Saints) r 17 Division 1 Sheedy Medal
Divisi	on 2 Reserves		M. Abou-Eid (M. Valley)

2018 K. Yehia (West Coburg)

Division 2 Reserves

- 2012 M. Cogger (Hillside) 2013 M. Cogger (Hillside)
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All Time Best & Fairests

Under 17 Division 2 Jack Clarke Medal 2017 L. Watson (East Keilor) 2018 D. Tully (Ess. Doutta Stars)

Under 17 Division 3 2017 M. Nikoloski (Av. Heights) 2018 R. Tripodi (Av. Heights)

Under 17 Division 4 2017 M. Watts (Tullamarine) 2018 S. Morrow (Hillside)

Under 17 Division 5 2017 R. Miranda (Greenvale) 2018 L. Muratore (Airport West)

Under 15 Division 1 Simon Madden Medal 2017 S. Beer (Aberfeldie) 2018 C. Pryor (Craigieburn) M. Ktona (Aberfeldie)

Under 15 Division 2 2017 J. Kenneth (Westmeadows) 2018 Z. Taylor (Oak Park)

Under 15 Division 3 2017 T. Luppino (Av. Heights) 2018 S. Kosmak (Northern Saints) F. Gentile (Airport West) M. Yassine (Roxburgh Park)

Under 15 Division 4 2017 L. Venuta (Keilor Park) 2018 C. Wrigglesworth (Jacana)

Under 15 Division 5 2017 J. Bonasera (Aberfeldie) 2018 K. Papadopoulos (M. Park)

Under 15 Division 6 2018 B. Walpole (Craigieburn)

Under 13 Division 1 Mark Harvey Medal 2017 C. Egan (Strathmore) 2018 C. Bolmat (Pascoe Vale)

Under 13 Division 2 2017 P. Pascu (Oak Park) 2018 I. Kako (Northern Saints)

Under 13 Division 3 2017 I. Kako (Northern Saints) 2018 N. Mitsos (East Keilor) J. Castillo (East Keilor) C. Sheedy (Aberfeldie) Under 13 Division 4 2017 N. Karagiolis (Keilor Park) 2018 M. Mandic (Keilor Park)

Under 13 Division 5

2017 **A. Warden** (Tullamarine) 2018 **K. Freeman-Morton** (Craigieburn)

Under 13 Division 6

2017 **C. Dudley** (Burnside Heights) 2018 **L. Nichols** (West Coburg)

Under 13 Division 7 2017 L. Mudford (Marib. Park) 2018 C. Janson Jin An-Wen Low (Moonee Valley)

Under 11 Division 1 Terry Daniher Medal 2017 K. Kaakour (Westmeadows) 2018 N. McMenamin (Keilor)

Under 11 Division 2 2017 J. O'Dwyer (Greenvale) 2018 T. Robinson (Hadfield)

Under 11 Division 3 2017 M. King (Taylors Lakes) 2018 K. Akyol (Burnside Heights)



Under 11 Division 4 2017 T. Leeds (Coburg Districts) 2018 M. Lewis (Tullamarine)

Under 11 Division 5 2017 K. Teuma (East Sunbury) 2018 F. Daffey (St Francis)

Under 11 Division 6 2017 N. Hamka (Craigieburn) 2018 R. O'Brien (Oak Park)

Under 11 Division 7 2017 D. Sexton (Ess. Doutta Stars) 2018 I. Merhi (Ess. Doutta Stars)

Under 11 Division 8 2017 R. Goudy (Greenvale) 2018 L. Campbell (Ascot Vale)

Under 11 Division 9 2017 C. Matthews (E.D. Stars)

Under 18 Girls 2017 E. Georgostathis (V.U.W.S.) S. Forbes (V.U.W. Spurs)

Under 18 Girls Division 1 2018 G. Prespakis (Sunbury Lions)

Under 18 Girls Division 2 2018 A. Barba (Roxburgh Park)

Under 15 Girls Division 1 2017 H. Sell (Strathmore) 2018 H. Sell (Strathmore) T. Read (Maribyrnong Park)

Under 15 Girls Division 2 2017 E. Yassir (Pascoe Vale) 2018 E. Yassir (Pascoe Vale)

Under 15 Girls Division 3 2018 B. Marino (Av. Heights)

Under 13 Girls Division 1 2018 J. Gleeson (Ess. Doutta Stars)

Under 13 Girls Division 2 2018 M. D'Angelo (Glenroy)

Under 11 Girls Division 1 2018 A. McBride-Loane (M. Park)

Under 11 Girls Division 2 2018 B. Webb (Westmeadows)

> *Only includes currently active competitions and age groups

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All Time Premiers

Premier Division (Previously Open Age A Grade) 1930 St John's 1931 Woodland 1932 Woodland 1933 Ascot Vale 1934 Woodland 1935 Ascot Vale 1936 Ascot Vale 1937 Ascot Vale 1938 Ascot Vale 1939 La Mascotte 1940 Ascot Vale 1941 La Mascotte 1946 Ascot Vale United 1947 Ascot Vale United 1948 Doutta Stars 1949 Doutta Stars 1950 Doutta Stars 1951 Doutta Stars 1952 Moonee Valley 1953 Doutta Stars 1954 Doutta Stars 1955 Moonee Imperials 1956 Brunswick City 1957 Doutta Stars 1958 Essendon Baptist St. John's 1959 Doutta Stars 1960 Moonee Imperials 1961 Doutta Stars 1962 Doutta Stars 1963 Doutta Stars 1964 Doutta Stars 1965 West Coburg 1966 Glenroy 1967 West Coburg 1968 West Coburg 1969 Doutta Stars 1970 West Coburg 1971 West Coburg 1972 Doutta Stars 1973 **Keilor** 1974 Aberfeldie 1975 Essendon Tullamarine 1976 Essendon Tullamarine 1977 Essendon Tullamarine 1978 Essendon Tullamarine 1979 Essendon Tullamarine 1980 Doutta Stars 1981 Strathmore 1982 Glenroy 1983 Glenroy 1984 Strathmore 1985 Keilor 1986 Glenroy Avondale Heights 1987 1988 Keilor 1989 Strathmore 1990 **Doutta Stars** 1991 **Doutta Stars** 1992 Airport West 1993 Airport West

1994 East Keilor 1995 Keilor 1996 Keilor 1997 Keilor 1998 Strathmore 1999 **Doutta Stars** 2000 Keilor 2001 Keilor 2002 Oak Park Oak Park 2003 Greenvale 2004 2005 Strathmore Strathmore 2006 2007 Greenvale 2008 Keilor 2009 Maribyrnong Park 2010 Maribyrnong Park 2011 Strathmore 2012 Greenvale 2013 Greenvale 2014 Strathmore 2015 Aberfeldie 2016 **Keilor** 2017 Aberfeldie 2018 Aberfeldie **Premier Division Reserves** (Previously Open Age A Reserves) 1967 Pascoe Vale 1968 West Coburg 1969 Pascoe Vale 1970 Pascoe Vale 1971 Essendon Baptist St. John's 1972 Doutta Stars 1973 Doutta Stars 1974 Strathmore 1975 Aberfeldie 1976 Airport West 1977 Aberfeldie 1978 Pascoe Vale 1979 Doutta Stars 1980 West Coburg 1981 West Coburg 1982 Glenroy 1983 Strathmore 1984 Strathmore 1985 Strathmore 1986 Strathmore 1987 Keilor 1988 Doutta Stars 1989 Keilor 1990 Keilor 1991 **Doutta Stars** Oak Park 1992 1993 **Airport West** 1994 Oak Park 1995 Keilor 1996 Strathmore 1997 Strathmore 1998 Strathmore 1999 Keilor

2000

Keilor

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1974 Avondale Heights
1975 East Keilor 1976 Strathmore 1977 Strathmore 1978 **Glenroy** 1979 Glenroy Airport West 1980 **Avondale Heights** 1981 Moonee Valley 1982 1983 Hadfield

1984 Strathmore 1985 **Avondale Heights** 1986 **Doutta Stars** 1987 Strathmore 1988 Strathmore 1989 Westmeadows 1990 Keilor 1991 Doutta Stars 1992 Strathmore 1993 Keilor 1994 Keilor Park 1995 Strathmore 1996 Avondale Heights 1997 Keilor 1998 Aberfeldie 1999 Keilor 2000 Aberfeldie 2001 Aberfeldie 2002 Aberfeldie 2003 Aberfeldie 2004 Aberfeldie 2005 Strathmore 2006 Keilor 2007 Keilor 2008 Aberfeldie 2009 Doutta Stars 2010 Greenvale 2011 Greenvale 2012 Aberfeldie 2013 Aberfeldie 2014 Aberfeldie 2015 Aberfeldie 2016 Aberfeldie **Under 19.5 Premier Division** 2017 Maribyrnong Park 2018 Aberféldie **Division 1** (Previously Open Age B Grade) 1949 Glenroy 1950 Lincoln Tigers 1951 Glenroy 1952 St Davids 1953 Aberfeldie 1954 Brunswick 1955 Lincoln Stars 1956 Essendon Baptist St. John's 1957 Nth. Essendon Methodists 1958 West Coburg Juniors 1959 Aberfeldie 1960 Ess. H.S. Ex-Students 1961 Nth. Essendon Methodists 1962 Broadmeadows 1963 West Coburg Seniors Ascot Vale Pres. 1964 1965 Ess. H.S. Ex-Students West Coburg

- 1966 Strathmore
- 1967
- 1968 Keilor
- 1969 Ascot Vale
- 1970 Broadmeadows

All Time Premiers

1971 Strathmore 1972 Ascot Vale 1973 Strathmore 1974 Glenroy 1975 Moonee Valley 1976 Avondale Heights 1977 Ascot Vale 1978 East Keilor 1979 Hadfield 1980 Glenroy 1981 Tullamarine 1982 Aberfeldie 1983 **Oak Park** 1984 Westmeadows 1985 Airport West 1986 Moonee Valley 1987 West Coburg 1988 Pascoe Vale 1989 Hadfield 1990 Keilor Park 1991 West Coburg 1992 East Keilor 1993 Tullamarine 1994 Moonee Valley 1995 Aberfeldie 1996 West Coburg 1997 Glenroy 1998 Doutta Stars 1999 Moonee Valley 2000 West Coburg 2001 Keilor Park 2002 Greenvale 2003 Tullamarine 2004 Avondale Heights 2005 Craigieburn 2006 West Coburg 2007 Maribyrnong Park 2008 Glenróy 2009 Oak Park 2010 Taylors Lakes 2011 Pascoe Vale 2012 Airport West 2013 Northern Saints 2014 West Coburg 2015 Essendon Doutta Stars 2016 Craigieburn 2017 Glenroy 2018 Airport West **Division 1 Reserves** (Previously Open Age B Reserves) 1973 Brunswick City 1974 Glenroy 1975 Oak Park 1976Ascot Vale1977Ascot Vale 1978 **Oak Park** 1979 Oak Park 1980 Glenroy 1981 Aberfeldie

1984 Ascot Vale 1985 Moonee Valley 1986 Tullamarine 1987 West Cobura 1988 Hadfield 1989 Tullamarine 1990 Keilor Park 1991 Tullamarine 1992 Tullamarine 1993 North Coburg Saints 1994 Doutta Stars 1995 Pascoe Vale 1996 Pascoe Vale 1997 Hadfield 1998 Doutta Stars 1999 Moonee Valley 2000 Pascoe Vale 2001 Pascoe Vale 2002 Craigieburn 2003 Westmeadows 2004 West Coburg 2005 Craigieburn 2006 Maribyrnong Park 2007 Maribyrnong Park 2008 Taylors Lakes 2009 Airport West 2010 Pascoe Vale 2011 Airport West 2012 Airport West 2013 West Coburg 2014 Taylors Lakes 2015 Taylors Lakes 2016 Taylors Lakes 2017 Taylors Lakes 2018 Airport West Under 18 Division 1 (Previously Under 17/18 Division 2) 1963 Keilor 1964 Strathmore 1965 Ascot Vale Pres. 1966 Aberfeldie 1967 Brunswick City 1968 Ascot Vale 1969 Brunswick City 1970 Moonee Valley 1971 East Keilor 1972 Tulla. Ascot Presbyterians 1973 Moonee Imperials 1974 **Keilor** 1975 Airport West 1976 Moonee Imperials 1977 **Riverside Stars** 1978 **Oak Park** 1979 East Brunswick 1980 Tullamarine 1981 **Coburg Districts** 1982 **Coburg Districts** 1983 Tullamarine 1984 East Keilor 1985 Glenroy 1986 Keilor Park

1987 Keilor Park 1988 Tullamarine 1989 Airport West 1990 Glenroy 1991 Tullamarine 1992 Westmeadows 1993 Moonee Valley 1994 **Doutta Stars** 1995 Glenroy 1996 West Coburg 1997 North Coburg Saints 1998 Greenvale 1999 Greenvale 2000 Glenroy 2001 Greenvale 2002 Taylors Lakes 2003 Craigieburn 2004 Airport West 2005 West Coburg 2006 West Coburg 2007 Sydenham Hillside 2008 Sydenham Hillside 2009 Taylors Lakes 2010 Hadfield 2011 West Coburg 2012 West Coburg 2013 Hadfield 2014 Craigieburn 2015 Essendon Doutta Stars 2016 Hillside Under 19.5 Division 1 2017 Westmeadows 2018 East Keilor **Division 2** (Previously Open Age C Grade) 1961 **Doutta Stars** 1962 Moonee Imperials 1963 Glenroy 1964 Pascoe Vale 1965 Ess. Baptist St. Johns 1966 Ascot Youth Centre 1967 **Riverside Stars** 1968 Batman 1969 St. Davids 1970 Moonee Valley 1971 Hadfield 1972 Riverside Stars 1973 Tulla. Ascot Presbyterians 1974 Brunswick Presbyterians 1975 Essendon Youth Centre 1976 Ess. Old Grammarians1977 West Coburg 1978 Brunswick City 1979 Moonee Ponds 1980 Brunswick City 1981 Essendon Youth Centre 1982 Gladstone Park 2012 East Keilor 2013 Hillside

2014 East Keilor

2016 East Keilor 2017 Jacana 2018 Roxburgh Park **Division 2 Reserves** (Previously Open Age C Reserves) 1980 St. Andrews 1981 Gladstone Park 1982 Ess. H.S. Ex-Students 2012 Hillside 2013 Hillside 2014Moonee Valley2015Coburg Districts2016Roxburgh Park 2017 Roxburgh Park 2018 Moonee Valley **Under 18 Division 2** 2012 East Keilor 2013 East Keilor 2014 Moonee Valley 2015 Aberfeldie 2016 East Keilor Under 19.5 Division 2 2018 Moonee Valley **Senior Thirds** 2015 Strathmore 2016 Strathmore 2017 Greenvale 2018 West Coburg WRFL & EDFL Women's Competition 2017 Keilor **EDFL** Women's 2018 Pascoe Vale Under 17 Division 1 2017 Aberfeldie 2018 Aberfeldie **Under 17 Division 2** 2017 Aberfeldie 2018 Maribyrnong Park **Under 17 Division 3** 2017 Northern Saints

2015 Hadfield

Under 17 Division 4 2017 Oak Park 2018 Aberfeldie

2018 Taylors Lakes

Under 17 Division 5 2017 Aberfeldie 2018 Aberfeldie

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1982 Oak Park

1983 **Oak Park**

All Time Premiers

Under 15 Division 1 2017 Keilor 2018 Aberfeldie

Under 15 Division 2 2017 West Coburg 2018 Oak Park

Under 15 Division 3 2017 Aberfeldie 2018 Northern Saints

Under 15 Division 4 2017 Aberfeldie 2018 Jacana

Under 15 Division 5 2017 Aberfeldie 2018 Essendon Doutta Stars

Under 15 Division 6 2018 Hillside

Under 13 Division 1 2017 Maribyrnong Park 2018 Keilor

Under 13 Division 2 2017 Burnside Heights 2018 Northern Saints Under 13 Division 3 2017 East Sunbury 2018 Coburg Districts

Under 13 Division 4 2017 Westmeadows 2018 Avondale Heights

Under 13 Division 5 2017 Greenvale 2018 Hillside

Under 13 Division 6 2017 Strathmore 2018 Burnside Heights

Under 13 Division 7 2017 Coburg Districts 2018 Moonee Valley

Under 11 Division 1 2017 Strathmore 2018 Strathmore

Under 11 Division 2 2017 Craigieburn 2018 Airport West

Under 11 Division 3 2017 Taylors Lakes 2018 Moonee Valley Under 11 Division 4 2017 Coburg Districts 2018 Maribyrnong Park

Under 11 Division 5 2017 Airport West 2018 East Sunbury

Under 11 Division 6 2017 Pascoe Vale 2018 Oak Park

Under 11 Division 7 2017 Oak Park 2018 West Coburg

Under 11 Division 8 2017 Hillside 2018 Maribyrnong Park

Under 11 Division 9 2017 East Keilor

Under 18 Girls 2017 Sunbury Lions

Under 18 Girls Division 1 2018 Sunbury Lions

Under 18 Girls Division 2 2018 Hillside

Life Members

Under 15 Girls Division 1 2017 Keilor 2018 Essendon Doutta Stars

Under 15 Girls Division 2 2017 Essendon Doutta Stars 2018 St Francis

Under 15 Girls Division 3 2018 Moonee Valley

Under 13 Girls Division 1 2018 Westmeadows

Under 13 Girls Division 2 2018 Craigieburn

Under 11 Girls Division 1 2018 Maribyrnong Park

Under 11 Girls Division 2 2018 Moonee Valley

*Only includes currently active competitions and age groups

J. Ainsworth T. Barden* W. Barton* E.T. Boucher* J. Brogan* D. Brown S. Carman* R. Cassell* B. Chick* D. Christi L. Constitine* A. Crofts L. Danaher K. Donnelly J. Doran J. Dovey T. Dowling B. Drebig Ms F. Duffield A. Eastwood* **B.F. Ellis** T. Ennis J. Falcke A. Fischer

A. Fisher* J. Fletcher* F. Garland* E.J. Gent* W.L. Gladman* A. Hall J. Harris OAM E.O. Heintz* A. Hircoe E. Hoctor I. Hurtig L.C. Jackson* E. Jennings W.M. Kennedy* B. Kent L. Koch I.L. Lally* B. Lalor J. Larkins A.W. Marcy* S. Martin **B. McNaughton** K.J. McTaggart* Ms V. McTaggart*

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F.G. Reid* S.W. Rickards* Ms E. Rickards* R.A. Rose OAM A. Schultze* B. Scott V. Sharpe* J.B. Stainer T.G. Stephens* P. Stone M. Stone OAM* E. Townsend* L. Turner* J. Walker Ms J. Walker* R. Wall G. Wilde* P. Williams J. Williams N. Wood*

*Deceased

COMMITTEE REPORT

Your committee members submit the financial report of the Essendon District Football League Inc. for the financial year ended 31st October, 2018.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

The names of committee members throughout the year and at the date of this report are:

Brett Scott Romy Gutbier Wayne Anthony Tanya Taylor Bernie Shinners Robert Castellas

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activities of the League during the financial year were to promote and manage, free from any objectionable feature, Australian Rules Football matches in the Essendon and surrounding Districts in the interests of the various affiliate clubs, with every endeavour to promote healthy recreation for the youth, and assist in developing players to Senior Clubs.

SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

No significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the year.

OPERATING RESULT

The Net Surplus of the League for the financial year was \$130,410 (Net Surplus \$17,901 in 2017)

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Members of the Committee:

Brett Scott

Diett-scott

Honorary Chairman

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Romy Gutbier

Honorary Treasurer

Dated this 21st day of November, 2018



We Add Value

Cox Partners Accountants Pty Ltd Donald W Cox CPA Wayne D Mynott CPA

AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION UNDER SECTION 307C OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT 2001 TO THE MEMBERS OF ESSENDON DISTRICT FOOTBALL LEAGUE INC.

We declare that to the best of our knowledge and belief, during the year ended 31 October, 2018, there have been:

(a) no contraventions of the auditors independence requirements as set out in the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit; and

(b) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation the audit.

Dated At Essendon this 21st of November, 2018

the

DONALD W COX CPA COX PARTNERS ACCOUNTANTS PTY LTD 75 ROSE STREET ESSENDON VIC 3040

REGISTERED COMPANY AUDITOR



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COMPREHENSIVE INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER, 2018

2017		2018
	INCOME	
388,374	Affiliation Fees, Club Team Entries, etc	432,342
465,858	Apparel - Club Sales	496,037
16,206	Bank & Investment Interest	15,676
421	Credit Card Levies	266
15,917	Decrease in Employee Entitlements	8,161
-	Decrease in Employee Long Service Leave	10,355
170,829	Sponsorships	165,011
270,706	Finals Takings	270,056
25,253	League Football Record	23,443
43,502	Fines	82,438
73,843	Football Sale Proceeds	85,245
61,128	Grants Received	67,545
5,000	Interleague Income	-
94,999	Insurance - Public Liability	102,791
16,636	Presentation & Vote Counting Nights	11,473
-	Reduction in Provision for Doubtful Debts	6,000
15,156	Rent Received	17,445
6,236	Sundry Income	19,047
4,508	Training Course Levies	10,761
682,317	Umpiring Fees	721,439
4,146	Workcover Recoveries	4,298
2,361,035	TOTAL INCOME	2,549,829

COMPREHENSIVE INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER, 2018

2017		2018
	LESS: EXPENDITURE	
14,000	Accounting & Audit Fees	11,650
750	Appeal Fine Refunds	2,000
360,857	Apparel - Club Expenses	396,885
2,662	Bank Fee & Interest	2,034
37,500	Board Honorariums & Expenses	37,500
23,902	Building Maintenance & Utilities	24,715
12,777	Depreciation	10,320
86,757	Finals Expenses	86,633
16,571	General Administration	16,720
-	Grants	5,000
1,312	Increase in Employee Long Service Leave	-
98,437	Insurance	105,908
77,153	Interleague Expenses	24,811
6,091	IT Costs	17,300
49,661	League Function Expenses	66,235
-	Legal Expenses	14,387
18,642	Media Expenses	19,501
9,295	Motor Vehicle Expenses	8,493
-1	OTHER EXPENSES	0,.00
4,262	Club Training 10,790	
45,400	Filming 42,500	
76,437	Footballs 88,747	
4,975	Investgation Officer 3,200	
1,505	Staff Development5,512	150,749
10,695	Printing & Stationery	9,721
2,245	Promotion Expenses	4,105
37,175	Publications	22,966
49,965	Refunds to Clubs	49,474
958	Relocation Expenses	-
25,853	Rent Expense	28,365
427,691	Salaries & Wages	457,375
·	Sponsorship	138
9,058	Sundry Expenses	269
40,207	Superannuation	45,351
14,690	Telephone	20,117
16,805	Trophy Expenses	32,510
736,139	Umpiring & Associated Costs	738,635
22,707	WorkCover Insurance	9,552
2,343,134	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	2,419,419
17,901	OPERATING SURPLUS	130,410
-	LESS DISTRIBUTIONS	-
17,901	NET SURPLUS	130,410

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31ST OCTOBER, 2018

2017	FOURTY		2018
1,090,325 17,901	EQUITY Accumulation Fund Surplus for Year		1,108,226 130,410
1,108,226			1,238,636
326,340	Asset Revaluation Reserve		406,340
1,434,566	TOTAL MEMBER FUNDS		1,644,976
	Represented by:		
	CURRENT ASSETS		600 00 l
-	Oncall Account Offset Account		602,884 500
332,179	Cash at Bank - Strathmore Community B	ank	94,795
47,528	Stock on Hand of Footballs & Apparel (a		23,640
3,966	GST Refundable	22,100	3,165
68,323 (12,000)	Accounts Receivable Less: Provision for Doubtful Debts	32,190 (6,000)	26 100
439,996		(0,000)	<u>26,190</u> 751,174
,			- 1
650.000	INVESTMENTS	D	465.040
650,029 40,700	Term Deposits - Strathmore Community Unsecured Loan	Bank	465,843 30,660
40,700	Oliseculed Loan		50,000
	FIXED ASSETS		
406,000	EDFL HQ Building (at valuation)		486,000
34,573 (27,164)	Motor Vehicles (at cost)	34,573	6,019
72,846	Less: Provision for Depreciation Office Equipment & Furniture (at cost)	(28,554) 79,331	0,019
(49,637)	Less: Provision for Depreciation	(58,567)	20,764
436,618			512,783
1,567,343	TOTAL ASSETS		1,760,460
	LESS: CURRENT LIABILITIES		
792	Accounts Payable		10,618
592 62,959	Credit Cards ATO Integrated Client Account		384 53,321
5,622	PAYG Payable		6,865
	Provision Accounts		0,000
18,251	- Long Service Leave	19,373	
33,083	- Employee Entitlements	24,923	44,296
121,298			115,484
	LESS: NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		
	Provision Accounts		
<u> </u>	- Long Service Leave		
132,776	TOTAL LIABILITIES		115,484
1,434,566	NET ASSETS		1,644,976
1,734,300			1,044,370

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY AS AT 31ST OCTOBER, 2018

General Funds

Balance at 1 November, 2016 Operating surplus/(deficit)	1,090,325 17,901
Balance at 31 October, 2017	1,108,226
Operating surplus/(deficit) Balance at 31 October, 2018	<u> </u>

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 2018

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	2018 \$	2017 \$
Receipts from Other Associations Receipts from Clubs Interest Received Payment to Suppliers & Employees	226,139 2,289,497 15,676 (2,343,013)	231,957 2,058,214 16,206 (2,310,903)
Net Cash Provided by (used in) operating activities	188,299	(4,526)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Payment for Fixed Assets	(6,485)	(406)
Net Cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(6,485)	(406)
Net Increase (decrease) in cash held	181,814	(4,932)
Cash At Beginning of Financial Year	982,208	987,140
Cash At End of Financial Year	1,164,022	982,208

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 2018

NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS	2018 \$	2017 \$
Reconciliation of Cash		
Cash at the end of financial year as shown in the statement of cash flows is reconciled to the related items in the balance sheet as follows:		
Cash At Savings Bank Interest Bearing Deposits	698,179 <u>465,843</u> <u>1,164,022</u>	332,179 <u>650,029</u> 982,208
Reconciliation of cash flows from operations from operating profit after income tax		
Operating Profit after income tax	130,410	17,901
Non-cash flows in operating profit		
Depreciation Loss on Disposal of Fixed Assets Changes in Assets and Liabilities, net of the effects of purchase and	10,320 -	12,777 -
Decrease (Increase) in Current Receivables Decrease (Increase) in Doubtful Debts Provision Decrease (Increase) in GST Refundable Decrease (Increase) in Stock on Hand Decrease (Increase) in Unsecured Loans Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable Increase (Decrease) in Credit Cards Increase (Decrease) in ATO Integarated Client Account Increase (Decrease) in GST Payable Increase (Decrease) in PAYG Payable Increase (Decrease) in Provisions Cash Flows from Operations	36,133 (6,000) 801 23,888 10,040 9,826 (208) (9,638) - 1,243 (18,516) -	(38,741) (3,966) (26,110) 9,300 (14,799) (30) 62,959 (8,561) (651) (14,605) (4,526)
Cash Flows from Operations	188,29	99

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER, 2018

NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

This financial report is a special purpose financial report prepared in order to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012 (Vic) and the Associations Incorporation Reform Regulations 2012 (Vic). The Committee of Management has determined that the League is not a reporting entity.

The statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012 (Vic) and the Associations Incorporation Reform Regulations 2012 (Vic) and the following Australian Accounting Standards and other mandatory professional reporting requirements.

- AASB 101Comprehensive Income StatementAASB 101Statement of Financial PositionAASB 102InventoriesAASB 107Statement of Cash FlowsAASB 108Accounting PoliciesAASB 110Events after the Balance Sheet Date
- AASB 116 Property, Plant & Equipment
- AASB 118 Revenue
- AASB 1031 Materiality

No other applicable Accounting Standards, Urgent Issues Group Interpretations or other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board have been applied.

The financial report has been prepared on an accrual basis and is based on historic costs and does not take into account changing money values, or except where specifically stated, current valuations of non-current assets.

The following material accounting policies, which are consistent with the previous periods unless otherwise stated, have been adopted in the preparation of these financial statements.

(a) Income Tax

The League is exempt from Income Tax pursuant to section 50-45 and section 50-1 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997, on all income received.

(b) Fixed Assets

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets are depreciated over the useful lives of the assets to the Association commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

(c) Revenue

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the entity and the revenue can be reliably measured.

Grant Income

Grant income received, other than for specific purposes, is brought to account over the period to which the grant relates.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER, 2018

NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Deferred Income

Unspent grant income received in relation to specific projects and events is not brought to account as revenue in the current year but deferred as a liability in the financial statements until spent for the purpose received.

Capital Grants

Grant income received relating to the purchase of capital items is shown as Unamortised Capital Grant and brought to account over the expected life of the asset in proportion to the related depreciation charge.

Interest Income

Interest revenue is recognised using the effective interest rate method. Interest earnt from financial institutions is recognised when it is actually received from the financial institutions.

(d) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash on hand and in banks and short term deposits are stated at nominal value. For the purposes of the Cash Flow Statement, cash includes cash on hand and in banks and money market instruments, readily convertible to cash within two (2) working days, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

(e) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO).

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of GST.

The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included as part of receivables or payables in the balance sheet.

(f) Employee Entitlements

Provision is made for the League's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to the end of the reporting period. Employee benefits that are expected to be wholly settled within one year have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled.

Provision is made for the League's liability for long service leave from the 5 year employment period normally accrued as industry practice.

(g) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the League has a legal or constructive obligation, as a result of past events, for which it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will result and that outflow can be reliably measured.

NOTE 2: RELATED PARTIES

During the year ended 31 October, 2018, there were no related party transactions entered into by the League with members of the Committee.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER, 2018

NOTE 3: CHANGE IN ACCOUNTING POLICY

There have been no changes made to the Accounting Policies adopted by the Committee for the financial year ended 31 October, 2018.

NOTE 4: SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

There are no subsequent events to these accounts that the League's committee is aware of that would have a material effect on them.

NOTE 5: FUTURE COMMITTMENTS

The Committee has made a commitment to establish a new scoreboard at Windy Hill, the value of this commitment will be in the range of \$25,000 to \$68,000.

NOTE: 6: INVENTORIES

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

NOTE 7: CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENT	2018 \$	2017 \$
Cash at Bank Cash on Deposit	698,179 465,843 1,164022	332,179 650,029 982,208
NOTE 8: TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES		
Accounts Receivables (net of Provision) GST Refundable	26,190 <u>3,165</u> 29,355	56,323 3,966 60,289
NOTE 9: TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES		
Accounts Payable Credit Cards ATO Integrated Client Account GST Payable PAYG Payable	10,618 384 53,321 - <u>6,865</u> 71,188	792 592 62,959 - 5,622 69,965
NOTE 10: EMPLOYEE BENEFITS		
Provision for Employee Entitlements Provision for Long Service Leave	24,923 19,373 44,296	33,083 29,729 62,812

STATEMENT BY MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

The Committee of Management have determined that the League is not a reporting entity and this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the Committee of Management the financial report of the League:

1. Presents a true and fair view of the financial position of the Essendon District Football League Inc. as at 31st October, 2018 and its performance for the year ended on that date.

2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Essendon District Football League Inc. will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

This statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Committee of Management and is signed for and on behalf of the Committee of Management by:

Brett Scott

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Honorary Chairman

Honorary Treasurer

Dated this 21st day of November, 2018

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INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF ESSENDON DISTRICT FOOTBALL LEAGUE INC

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of the Essendon District Football League Inc. (the Association), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June, 2018, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and statement by members of the committee of management.

In our opinion, subject to the effect of the qualification below, the accompanying financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, (or gives a true and fair view of) the financial position of the Association as at 30 June, 2018, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of the applicable legislation.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the Association in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Qualification

As is common for organisations of this type, it is not practicable for the Association to maintain an effective system of internal control over fundraising activities, until their initial entry in the accounting records. Accordingly, our audit in relation to fundraising was limited to amounts recorded. The audit opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.

Emphasis of matter - basis of accounting

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist the Association to meet the requirements of the applicable legislation. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.



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Responsibilities of management and those charged with governance for the financial report

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of the applicable legislation and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, management is responsible for assessing the Association's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Association or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Association's financial reporting process.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at: http://www.auasb.gov.au/Home.aspx This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Dated at Essendon this 21st day of November, 2018.

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